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Informal Party For Lawmakers

May be Given by Truman as Part of His Campaign to Get Close to Congress

WASHINGTON, Mar. 25 —(AP)— President Truman may play host next month at a ninformal party for new members of the House and Senate, as part of his campaign to get chummy with Congress.

Plans for such a party are being discussed by some of the president's advisers, it was disclosed today. The latchstring was hung out at his White House office for lawmakers who want to talk over their problems with the president.

Mr. Truman disclosed at his news conference yesterday that during the rest of March and all of April he will be seeing many legislators.

In this connection, the president said he had cancelled two New York talks. One was to have been at the cornerstone dedication of the United Nations building April 10 and the other at a testimonial dinner for Dr. Chaim Weizmann, head of the new state of Israel, April 23.

To Work Long Hours

The president said he will be working from daylight to dark having interviews and getting his desk cleaned of the things that piled up while he was vacationing in Florida.

The president's decision to stick close to home for a while pleased his legislative leaders.

Senator Lucas of Illinois, the Democratic leader, told reporters he thinks it "an excellent move," adding: "My opinion is that the closer the chief executive is to the Congress, the better it is for his program and the country as a whole."

As a part of this new chummy attitude, the president's friends hope he and Vice President Barkley can get together with many of the 117 new members of the House and 19 new Senators early in April.

Hardly A Cozy Party

Hardly a cozy party at best, such a gathering probably would have to be held in a local club or hotel, since the White House is undergoing repairs.

It was not immediately clear whether Republicans would be invited to this party. But Mr. Truman said that if any of them want to talk to him in his offices, they will be welcome. There will be no priority on his time, the president said.

The same holds true for southern Democrats, he said, in an obvious move to let the Dixie lawmakers forget—for the time being at least—the late unpleasantness over the Senate filibuster.

However, the president made it plain he stands by his Civil Rights program and expects it to come up in Congress later. He had high praise for Dr. Frank Graham, a member of the president's Civil Rights commission, who was named as senator from North Carolina to succeed the late Senator J. M. Broughton.

Denies Any Trouble

One of Mr. Truman's Civil Rights proposals is to abolish the poll tax as a requirement for voting in federal elections. In this connection, Republican Senators were reported last night to be trying to bring this issue before the Senate. They were said to have pledges of 35 Republican Senators to support a motion to shut off debate when an effort is made to bring up the poll tax question. They would need at least 64 votes.

The president disparaged reports that he is not getting along too well with Congress. He said there has always been a close relationship between him and Congress despite what the columnists said about it.

Killed By School Bus

WARDELL, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—Lindell Gaston, 7-year-old daughter of John Gaston of Wardell, was killed yesterday when she was struck by a school bus driven by Morris Clifton, 22, of Wardell.

Resigned

President Truman today accepted the resignation of Walter Bedell Smith as ambassador to Moscow. Smith, a lieutenant general, is returning to army duty.

Presidential press secretary Charles G. Ross said Mr. Truman accepted Smith's request "with great reluctance" and that he did so to permit him to return to a field command. The command has been held open for him since the retirement of Gen. Courtney Hodges.

84-Year-Old Man Wants to Go to College

Authorities of County Home, Where He Lives, Object

DANVILLE, Ind., March 25—(AP)—An 84-year-old paying resident of the Hendricks county home can't go to college to continue his education. Authorities won't let him.

The octogenarian scholar, James L. Glascock, is being confined to the county home by the superintendent, Ira Plasters. The superintendent said Glascock's going to nearby Canterbury college made the other residents at the home resentful. They wanted similar liberties.

"If you let one of them go out, you've got to let the rest of them go," Plasters explained. "We don't want trouble, we want things to settle down."

The superintendent said one inmate grew so resentful that he beat up two other inmates in an argument and was sentenced to the Indiana state farm.

Thought It Was Foolish

The county commissioners are inclined to back Superintendent Plasters.

"We're not running a hotel," said County Commissioner Hursel Disney. (Glascock pays $7 a week to the home.)

Disney said the commissioners thought Glascock's going to school "was foolish for a man with no future to his life."

However, the commissioners postponed a final decision until their next meeting on April 4.

Canterbury college has appointed Mrs. Gladys B. Mowrer, dean of women, to see what can be done about Glascock's continuing his studies in the school's sociology class.

An Inspiration

Canterbury president, Father Douglas R. MacLaurey, says the elderly man's determination to improve his education "is a big inspiration to all of us."

Glascock, a former teacher and veteran of two wars, maintains he is not an inmate. "I am a resident," he says, because he pays his own way and also the "keep" of a blind, 56-year-old son at the home.

Earthquake Recorded

WESTON, Mass., March 25.—(AP)—The Boston college seismograph station said today an earthquake was recorder at 4:04:30 p. m. (E.S.T.) yesterday.

The disturbance occurred 2,795 miles from Boston, probably in Alaska. It lasted two hours and was termed "strong" by the Rev. Daniel Linehan, S.J., seismologist.

Mrs. Steele Convalescing

Mrs. W. D. Steele, of 1309½ West Third street, is convalescing from surgery in the Research Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri.

Two Men Kill Kansas Citian, Escape in Car

Getaway Car Found Later; Had Hidden Compartment, Siren

KANSAS CITY, March 25—(AP)—The brazenness of the daylight slaying here of Wolf C. Rimann, 43-year-old country club manager, led police today to the theory out-of-town gunman had been hired at a high fee to do the job.

Police Chief Henry W. Johnson said Rimann's killers seemingly did not care if they were seen. At least 15 persons saw Rimann, Hillcrest Country club manager and also head of a pinball machine and juke box business, cut down on a downtown street late yesterday by gang bullets.

Johnson pointed out that the two gunmen and the driver of the getaway car made no attempt to shield their faces from view, leading police to believe they had no previous crime records here and need not worry about police having their photographs on file.

Money Probably Involved

He also theorized a large sum of money was involved in the slaying bargain since the getaway car, abandoned a half hour after the shooting, had been especially equipped for a killing job.

Two men shot Rimann as he stood beside his car and fled in an automobile driven by a third person. Police later found the getaway car abandoned. It was specially equipped with a hidden gun compartment and a siren.

Chief of Police Henry W. Johnson said the car was free of fingerprints, indicating professional gunmen had cleaned it before using and had worn gloves.

He said he believed the machine had been kept in hiding while the killers saved it for a special job.

No Clues

"We have 35 detectives on the case," Johnson said. "But we have virtually no clues. Rimann was interested in many enterprises, several of which created discord."

Rimann was a steadily growing operator in music box and pinball machines and shuffleboard equipment.

Rimann's Western Specialty company was the largest operator of music and pinball machines in the Kansas City area, John S. Cannon. Rimann's attorney, said.

In connection with his specialty company business, Rimann also had been making loans to tavern operators with the proviso that the borrowers use his machines, Cannon added.

Car From St. Louis Area

Police details continued to check airports, bus stations and train depot today in hopes of spotting the killers.

The state highway patrol reported the car abandoned by the killers originally came from the St. Louis area, but it had changed owners several times.

The hidden gun compartment, made of steel, was in the back of the rear seat. It was large enough to hold a sawed-off shotgun or sub machine gun.

The push button for the siren could be hidden by closing the top of an ash tray.

"There was nothing in the car," Chief Johnson said. "We found 15 witnesses at the scene, all of whom apparently had a good description of 'two dark men' who did the killing. When we got them to headquarters and told them it was a gang killing and not a holdup, most of them promptly forgot what they knew."

Men Jumped From Car

Rimann's slaying occurred after he had driven to a business house near 14th street and Chestnut avenue to have a chair reupholstered.

As he returned to his parked car, the killers' automobile drove up. According to accounts of witnesses, two men leaped out as the machine moved slowly ahead. Both held pistols. The gunmen fired two bursts of shots and leaped back in their automobile.

Rimann who had been standing beside the open door of his car, fell forward onto the front cushion.

Police said no weapons were found on Rimann. He was a special deputy sheriff and his car carried both a siren and a red light.

Had Been Golf Pro

Officers said an early report that robbery might have been the motive was largely discounted.

Rimann was the largest stock-

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Jane Wyman and Laurence Oliver Winners of Awards

SIR LAURENCE OLIVIER
"Hamlet"

JANE WYMAN
"Johnny Belinda"

By Bob Thomas

HOLLYWOOD, March 25.—(AP)—Silence and Shakespeare won academy awards for Jane Wyman and Sir Laurence Olivier last night.

Miss Wyman, 35-year-old graduate of B Pictures, was named best actress of 1948 for playing the raped deaf-mute in "Johnny Belinda." Oliver was given Hollywood's highest honor for his performance as "Hamlet." His British production was also named the best picture of the year, making the first time the award has been handed across the sea.

It was also a great night for the Hustons. Son John walked off with two gold statuettes for his writing and direction of "The Treasure of the Sierra Madre." Father Walter sprinted down the aisle to claim his best supporting actor award as the wily prospector in the same film.

Claire Trevoir was selected the best supporting actress as the drunken gun-moll in "Key Largo," also directed by John Huston.

Miss Wyman, formerly Sarah Jane Folks of St. Joseph, Mo., accepted her award the same way she won it—"By keeping my mouth shut." Her co-star and beau, Lew Ayres, then escorted her to J. L. Warner's celebration party at the Mocambo. The British "Hamlet" bettered U. S. films by copping five awards. Olivier's statuettes were received by friend Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. Author Shakespeare was declared ineligible for writing honors because, said Emcee Robert Montgomery, "he wrote for another medium."

The motion picture academy's voters selected "Buttons and Bows" from "The Paleface" as the best film song. Jane Russell, in a strapless gown, rocked the room with her singing of the Jay Livingston-Ray Evans tune.

Important Events In World News

By the Associated Press

Russia continued to shuffle around its top officials today and named a new armed forces chief. He is Marshal Alexander M. Vasilevsky who made a brilliant record in World War II as a warrior and tactician.

As in other recent shifts, the presiduim of the supreme Soviet announced without explanation that Vasilevsky was taking over from Marshal Nikolai A. Bulganin as minister of armed forces of the Soviet Union. This is the highest military post in all Russia.

Bulganin, who has held the ministry since he took it over from Prime Minister Stalin in March, 1947, will retain his post as deputy prime minister. He also will continue as a member of the powerful politburo.

Observers outside Russia interpreted the new change as fitting into the same pattern as earlier ones, which relieved politburo members of active administrative work, apparently so they can give full time to policy problems.

WAHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Rep. Rankin (D-Miss) today introduced a new veterans pension bill limited to ex-service men of World War I. He told the House he hopes to bring it to the floor "in a short time."

The measure calls for $72 a month pensions to veterans of the 1917-18 war when they reach age 65 provided their income does not exceed $2,000 a year if unmarried or $3,000 if married, or with dependents.

CANTON, March 25—(AP)—The motorship Miss Orient exploded today, after striking a mine, killing an estimated 100 persons.

The ship was enroute from here to the British crown colony of Hong Kong. The explosion occurred six miles east of Canton.

A dispatch from Hong Kong said there were 500 passengers aboard. The injured were brought to Canton.

Pirates were blamed for laying the mine after the ship's owners refused to pay extortion money to them.

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—President Truman met with his cabinet for 15 minutes today—one of the briefest sessions on record.

Members said afterward no important problems were taken up.

BERLIN, March 25—(AP)—In the face of almost daily protests from the three western powers, the Russians today increased their firing and bombing practice in corridors used by the Berlin airlift.

Pouring Floor at Liberty Park's New Pool

Contractors, building the Liberty park and Hubbard park pools, started pouring a section of the Liberty park pool floor Thursday.

Rep. Named In Suit is Threatened

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—Police are guarding the home of Congresswoman Edith Nourse Rogers, who reported she had been threatened with death in a series of grim letters.

Mrs. Rogers said yesterday the first threat was received around Valentine's day, and that there was no connection between the letters and the three-day old lawsuit naming her as the third figure in a marriage break-up.

The 67-year-old Massachusetts legislator, dean of Republican women in congress, told of that first threat in a Valentine's day speech in the House Feb. 14.

"The letters have been continuing since then," she said. She did not reveal the nature of the threats, o rtheir source. She said, however, that authorities are working on the case.

Break-up Case Progresses

Meanwhile, the widely-publicized marriage breakup case progressed another notch.

Process servers through the navy captain's lawyers served Capt. Harold A. Latta-Lawrence, 47, with papers ordering him into court to answer his wife's suit for $300 a month separate maintenance.

The wife, Mrs. Eilene Diana Latta-Lawrence, in her 30s, filed suit Tuesday saying her husband of less than a year had "close and intimate" association with the New England congresswoman.

Report on Red Cross Campaign

Ray C. Lippard, chairman of the Fund Campaign for the American Red Cross, held a meeting of the chairmen of the drive to discuss the details of the closing of the campaign. Suggestions were made for changes in the setting up of the committees for next year. Mr. Lippard felt confident that the goal would be reached whenever the workers made their final reports. The condition of the country roads and the many cases of measles and mumps have prevented the workers from completing their soliciting.

Oscar DeWolf, county co-chairman with John Ryan, reported five townships have gone over their quotas: Dresden township, I. C. Evans, chairman; Hughesville, W. P. Richardson, chairman; Lake Creek, L. Hoehns, chairman; Longwood, Roy Taylor, chairman, and Prairie, Garnet Haggard, chairman. The other townships are expected to make early reports. The following attended the meeting: Mrs. J. W. Starke, Mrs. Henry Menefee, Ray Lippard, Philip McLaughlin, Joe Rosenthal, Oscar DeWolf, Chester Wolfe, Mrs. Eula R. Spencer and Mrs. A. A. Studebaker.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for medical treatment: Ernest E. Morris, Route 1, Hughesville; Mrs. Paul Repper, of Otterville, and Mrs. George Ficken, of Cole Camp.

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Hazel Jamison, of Smithton.

Dismissed: Bert L. Baley, 322 West Seventh street; Phillips L. Harrison, of Otterville; Marvin Hanigan, 505 East Fourth street, and Mrs. Roy Harms and son, of Routel, Cole Camp.

Dismissed: Mrs. Ellis Teeter, Beaman.

Woodland Hospital Notes

Dismissed: Mary Alice Thurman, 300 East Sixteenth street.

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. J. F. Johnson, 1400 East Twelfth street.

Tension Off In Coal Fields, Industry Too

No One Admits Mailing Stories to The Newspapers

PITTSBURGH, March 25—(AP)—The tension was off in the coal fields today.

It was off, too, in industries—such as steel—which depend on coal for their operations. It was off among employes of coal-carrying railroads, among river workers who transport coal in barges.

For John L. Lewis had ordered his miners to return to the pits next Monday, ending a two-week work stoppage of 463,000 members of the United Mine Workers in pits east of the Mississippi.

PITTSBURGH, March 25—(AP)—The story of the end of the two-week coal walkout apparently had turned into a cloak and dagger opus today—without the bloodshed.

The burning issue was: Who mailed the mysterious papers.

Announcement that John L. Lewis had ordered his miners back to work next Monday came in special delivery letters in plain white envelopes bearing Pittsburgh postmarks.

There was no doubt of the letters authenticity. The puzzle was who mailed 'em to the news services. The United Mine Workers' district office here insisted the services and the UMW office ran about dead heat in receipt of the letters.

No One Admits Mailing Them

But no United Mine Workers officials can be found who is willing to admit he had anything to do with mailing the stories out.

John P. Busarello, president of UMW Pittsburgh District 5, indignantly denied any connection with the whole business.

"Those letters absolutely were not mailed from my office," he said. "We don't know who mailed them. We don't do business that way.

"When the newspapers started calling our office," Busarello continued, "the girls didn't even know what the reporters were talking about. I would like to know how those letters got from Washington to Pittsburgh. None of our people were down there yesterday."

They Certainly Were Mailed

The family of Joseph Yablonski, UMW international representative of nearby Fredericktown, reported he had been in Harrisburg the last two days. That eliminated him from the running.

It also eliminated the last high UMW officials in the Pittsburgh area who might have been responsible for mailing the letters.

Yet they were mailed.

A query to UMW headquarters in Washington brought back a "no comment" along with the cryptic side remark that the whole matter was being handled in Pittsburgh.

Witness Cocky On The Stand

DETROIT, March 25—(AP)—Recorder's Judge Joseph A. Gillis angrily threatened today to handcuff a cocky, argumentative murder trial defendant on the witness stand.

The threat came after hot words from James Sacchetti, 32, accused in the fatal beating of Elmer B. Jones last summer, broke up the trial for the second straight day.

Also on trial are Ralph Ray Hunter, 25, and Mrs. Evelyn Lari, 21.

Sacchetti stood up on the witness stand and began to shake his fists at attorneys who were questioning him.

"You sit down or I'll restrain you," Judge Gillis barked. "If you want to finish the rest of the trial in handcuffs, you will, and I'll set the record so show."

The judge ordered two policemen to stand beside Sacchetti and warned the witness to stop arguing with the attorneys.

"I'd just as soon argue with you as anyone," Sacchetti shot back.

"Do you think I'm worried about getting 30 days for contempt? I'm innocent and after this is over you can put your (contempt) charge in. You're not going to shut me up."

Guilty of Treason

Mildred Gillars, alias "Axis Sally"

Convicted March 10 of treason she was sentenced to 10 to 30 years in prison today by Federal Judge Edward M. Curran, Washington, D. C., also fined $10,000 and automatically lost hr citizenship.

'Axis Sally' Sentenced To Prison

Found Guilty of Treason; Also is Fined $10,000; Loses Citizenship

WASHINGTON, Mar. 25 —(AP)— Mildred E. (Axis Sally) Gillars today was sentenced to 10 to 30 years in prison for treason.

Federal Judge Edward M. Curran also fined her $10,000.

Loss of citizenship is automatic on conviction of treason.

Miss Gillars, 48-year-old Maine-born woman, was convicted March 10. Sentence was delayed until her attorneys could argue motions for a new trial.

Just before passing sentence, Judge Curran denied these motions.

James J. Laughlin, attorney for Miss Gillars, served notice of an appeal. He told reporters the case would be fought up to the Supreme Court.

Miss Gillars broadcast the "Axis Sally" programs for the Nazi radio during the war. Her treason conviction was based on the broadcast of one propaganda drama called "Vision of Invasion."

She took her sentencing dry-eyed and, at the end of the proceedings, threw her head back and walked with swift, short steps from the court room to be returned for the time being to the District of Columbia jail.

No Prison Named

Judge Curran did not specify where she will serve her sentence. He left this to the Federal Bureau of prisons.

The 10 to 30 year sentence means that, under ordinary circumstance, Miss Gillars will be eligible for parole after serving 10 years, or one-third of the maximum.

If, when eligible for parole, she should be unable to pay the $10,000 fine she could take an oath that she is without funds and would serve an additional 30 days in lieu of paying the fine.

Mrs. Edna Mae Herrick, half sister of the radio actress, was in the court room at the sentencing. Afterward, a reporter asked her how she thought Miss Gillars had stood the judge's decision.

Mrs. Herrick said:

"I don't think Ethel Barrymore could have received the verdict any better."

Not In Top Conferences

Before passing sentence, Judge Curran remarked that the trial evidence showed that Miss Gillars did not take part in high level Nazi propaganda policy conferences as was the case of Douglas Chandler and Robert Henry Best.

Chandler and Best were other Americans who gave propaganda aid to the Germans. They were tried for treason at Boston and sentenced to life.

"You are now going on 49, is that correct?" Judge Curran asked.

"Yes," Miss Gillars replied.

The judge then pronounced the sentence.

First, Curran, after denying the motion for a new trial, directed Miss Gillars to stand up. He asked her if she cared to say anything, explaining that she did not have to do so.

She immediately launched into a long statement which the judge called an argument.

She Doesn't Understand

He said he did not want her to make an argument, commenting that her attorney, James J. Laughlin had done that.

She said several times, "I don't understand" how the jury convicted her.

Miss Gillars was convicted of one of the eight alleged treasonable acts on which the government offered evidence. No evidence was presented on two others set forth in the indictment.

The "Vision of Invasion," was broadcast by the Nazis a month before the Allies landed in Normandy.

Miss Gillars portrayed Evelyn, an Ohio mother who dreamed her son was killed in the invasion.

The government charged the broadcast was beamed to Americans at home and abroad as part of Nazi propaganda and as an instrument of psychological warfare.

Protest March Against 'World Peace' Parley

Group Labeled by State Department As 'Red' Propaganda

NEW YORK, March 25—(AP)—Hundreds of pickets sang patriotic songs and prayed as they marched at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel today in protest against the Culture and Scientific Conference for World Peace.

A crowd estimated by police at 8,000 persons encouraged the demonstrators, who at times numbered about 800. The pickets carried draped flags of Soviet-dominated countries in front of the fashionable Park avenue hotel.

NEW YORK, March 25—(AP)—Foes of the "world peace" conference began a mass picketing demonstration outside the Waldorf-Astoria hotel today at the hour foreign delegates started a news conference inside.

Nearly 2,000 persons, gathered in Park avenue, looked on as 150 men and women began their march of protest against the controversial cultural and scientific conference for world peace, which the state department has labeled "a sounding board for Communist propaganda."

Th marchers carried draped flags of countries now behind the Iron Curtain and signs protesting the imprisonment of Cardinal Mindszenty in Hungary. Some wore colorful costumes of their native European lands.

Hundred Policemen There

One hundred policemen were on hand, but there was no disorder. One high police official remarked that "the best thing that could happen would be that the pickets would police themselves and there would be no need for police."

From the crowd of onlookers one well-dressed man called out "it would be better to ignore them."

Another shouted "Leave the Communists alone, don't pay any attention to them. They thrive on publicity."

One marcher carried a sign showing Cardinal Mindszenty behind barbed wire, and bore a quotation from the cardinal "My enemies can take from me no more than my life and that has already been given to God."

Another Sign

Another sign showed the cardinal nailed to a crucifix made of the Soviet hammer and sickle.

The demonstration was sponsored by the newly-formed people's committee for freedom of religion.

Delegates to the conference looked neither to the right or left as they entered the Park Avenue entrance to the hotel. The sponsors of the conference had asked police to protect delegates from possible interference in attending the three-day sessions beginning tonight at the Waldorf-Astoria.

As th demonstration proceeded, additional pickets joined the march. Women said their rosaries and other persons in line offered an invocation for freedom of religion.

Living Costs Slipped Back to Where They Were in 1948

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Living costs have slipped back almost to where they were at the start of 1948.

The Bureal of Labor Statistics reported last night that a 1.1 per cent drop in its consumer's price index between January 15 and February 15 brought the cost of living to within 0.9 per cent of the figure for a year ago.

It marked the fifth month in a row during which there was a drop in the price of things people buy. And it was one of the sharpest drops for one months since the war.

The index is based on a comparison between present prices and those of the 1935-1939 period in 56 cities.

The latest index was 169 per cent of the average for those prewar years—27 per cent higher than June 1948, when price controls were lifted, and 71 per cent higher than the figure for August 1939.

Big Drop in Food Prices

The big drop came in food prices, whose index went down 2.5 per cent during the month. That was still 199.7 per cent of the 1935-1939 average, but it was eight points below the peak hit on July, 1948—or just where it was a year ago.

Eggs, fats, oils and dairy products hit their lowest point in at least a year and a half. Wearing apparel dropped 0.7 per cent and house furnishings 0.5 per cent during the month.

But automobile prices went up a little, and the bureau reported a 0.2 per cent increase from mid-January to mid-February in residental rents—a rent increase of 0.9 per cent for the three months ending February 15.

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On Sunday mornings if you fail to receive your Democrat, please call 1000 before 10 a. m. An extra copy will be delivered to you after 10 a.m.

The Weather

Increasing cloudiness tonight, low near 40. Mild Saturday, with showers likely in the forenoon. Highest temperature near 60.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 36 degrees. 3 p. m. 56 degrees.

Lake of the Ozarks: 3.4; fall .1.

Sun rise 6:11 a. m. Sun set 6:29 p. m.

New moon March 29; first quarter moon April 6.

Thought For Today

It is the height of absurdity to sow little but weeds in the first half of one's lifetime and expect to harvest a valuable crop in the second half.—Percy H. Johnston.

'Operations 30' For Swoose, The Strange Bird That Flies

LOS ANGELES, March 25.—(AP)—It's "Operations 30" tomorrow for the Swoose, a queen which refused to die.

The gallant flying fortress, the only warplane in service from Dec. 7, 1941, to V-J day, is making the first leg of her last flight.

The heroine of William L. White's book, "Queens Die Proudly," leaves here for Chicago. There she'll be hangared until the Smithsonian Institution's national air museum is built in Washington, D. C.

And in the museum the lone survivor of the original U. S. Far Eastern air force will find her final resting place, along with other battle-scarred sky veterans.

At her controls tomorrow will be the man who skippered her through the war, Col. Frank Kprtz, formerly of Los Angeles and now of Washington, D. C.

Some of Original Crew Aboard

Four members of her original crew also will be aboard: Maj. Harry Schrieber, Galveston, Tex., her navigator; Capt. Roland Boone, Hemet, Cal., gunner; Maj. Charles T. Reeves, Bakersfield, Cal., bombardier, and Capt. Harold Varner, San Rafael, Cal., crew chief.

"We have a hell of a lot of nostalgia tied up in that old gal," Colonel Kurtz said.

It was his affection for the Swoose which inspired his pretty blonde wife, Margo, to write the book, "My Rival, the Sky." Their four-year-old daughter, Margo, Jr., is nicknamed "Swoosey."

On her fuselage can still be seen the strange bird, half swan, half goose, from which she got her name. Under the picture are two words and a question mark: "It Flies?"

Ellsworth Green In Kansas City, Kas.

Ellsworth Green, former secretary of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, more recently in Freeport, Ill., has now taken up his residence in Kansas City, Kas., where he is secretary-manager of the Kansas City, Kas., Chamber of Commerce.

The family, Mr. and Mrs. Green and daughter, Ellie Linn, are living at 2000 West 49th street, Terrace, Kansas City, Kas.

Mr. Green has already entered into the Greater Kansas City activities, and is on the American Royal board of governors.

Nazi Police Chief Executed

AMSTERDAM, the Netherlands, March 25.—(AP)—The Chief of German police during the occupation of the Netherlands was executed today, it was officially announced.

The chief, Hanns Nalbin Rauter, was sentenced to death for war crimes by a Dutch court.

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Dizzy Funeral For Veterans Pension House Bill

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—The Veterans' pension bill seems dead for this year, buried by the house. It had a dizzy funeral, one of the strangest.

Thinking of the Veteran when election comes around, house members approached the bill like a man examining the teeth of a lion. One of them, unabashed, told newsmen ironically:

"This is where I rise above principle and vote political."

But another, less gay about voting for something he didn't believe in, told reporters:

"It isn't a question of whether I'm for or against the bill, but whether I want to get re-elected. So I'll have to vote for it."

In the end, he voted against it. So did a majority of the congressmen, but it took them three days to take that step. They finally did it by tormenting and disfiguring the bill till its own father wouldn't know it.

Peppery at 67

In this case the father was Rep. John Rankin, Mississippi Democrat, a little man with a bright tie and perpendicular white hair. Rankin, a veteran of World War I, is peppery at 67.

His bill would have given veterans of World Wars I and II a pension of $90 a month when they reached 65, whether or not they needed the money.

If the bill ever became law, government officials had warned, it would cost the country $125,000,000,000 in 50 years.

And, thinking of the big debt the country has already, President Truman and his leaders in congress didn't want it.

Right from the first, it seems, the House members didn't want it either, but in the beginning they didn't want to say so publicly where their name and their vote against it would be on record.

Vote Listed by Number

Almost immediately when the bill came up Tuesday a majority of the House voted to kill it. But this was in the kind of vote where their vote was listed by number, not by name.

But, almost as fast, when they were called to vote by name, they voted against killing the bill. In three days they changed their vote five times.

On the second day they began to beat the bill out of shape by voting changes in it, right on the floor. By the time they were through the second day practically no one knew what had been voted into it.

All the while the House had been roundly lambasted in the press for its tactics. And yesterday, Herb Block, cartoonist for the Washington Post which congressmen read, teed off on them.

Bill Back By One Vote

His drawing showed a monstrous fat man, labeled "House of Representatives," bending over while a "congressional medal" was pinned on the seat of his pants by a slap-happy character called "Pension Grab."

The medal read: "For unusual running, dodging and reversing without regard for the call of the duty."

And yesterday the House came back and by one vote—208 to 207—killed the bill. Not outright. The House voted to "send it back to committee." That's something like sending a boy to the graveyard.

When the House votes to send a bill back to the committee the measure almost never comes back on the floor for a vote. In this case it was sent back to Rankin's committee, which had prepared the bill in the first place."

Any Congressman who's questioned about it, can honestly say:

"I didn't vote to kill the bill. But so many confusing changes were made in it on the floor, it had to be sent to committee to be straightened out. Otherwise, we wouldn't have known what we were voting for."

After watching the truck roll over his baby, Rankin said: "That kills this legislation for this congress."

Navy Men Shiver in Scotland

ROSYTH, Scotland — (AP) — British sailors of the aricraft carrier Vengeance back from the Arctic are complaining of the cold — in Scotland.

They shivered because the Navy took away the special protective clothing used in far north tsts.

Boy Gets Kick Out of Football

BLACKPOOL, England —(AP)— Eleven-year-old Geoffrey Kay kicked a football and it came to rest two miles away. The ball stuck on a car bumper and took a long ride before dropping off into a street. The finder turned it in to police. Geoffrey retrieved it the next day.

When is a Hat Not a Hat?

WHEN IT'S A HATNET . . . . Newest wrinkle in the headgear field is a device known as a hatnet, pictured here in three versions. Left is the sports model, with sun visor attached to a white nylon mesh net, to keep the hair in place. Next is the evening hatnet, a heart-shaped halo piped in black velvet, with a net of chenille dotted veiling. The scarf net is right for riding in an open car, has a polka-dotted scarf and a metallic thread net. All budget priced.

POP Goes the QUEEN

By Bob Wade and Bill Miller

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TRIM smiled but his mouth was stiff and his instructions panted through it. "It's your turn, Mr. Barselou. Face the wall."

Dumbly, the big man obeyed.

"Put your hands up just like the others." Trim stepped catlike across the deck and shoved the mouth of his pistol into the small of Barselou's back. "Now just hold still."

John Henry felt the perspiration beading his palms. He held his breath back and waited for the moment, the only possible moment. A muscle twitched where Barselou's shirt was tight across his huge shoulders.

John Henry lashed out with his foot at Trim's kneecap. The little man danced back, howling, and stumbled on the uneven timbers.

Over Sin's high shriek came the blanketing roar of colossal rage. With one motion, Barselou jerked a rusty chain loose from its mooring and whipped it ferociously at the cocked hat. The hat spun away crazily. Trim sank to one knee in the center of the gun deck, blood streaming from his bald head. He raised the revolver.

John Henry fought to escape the gyves. He got one hand free of the loose cuff of iron. But Barselou had leaped. With another reverberating roar, he sprang from the gun platform for the crouched figure. The pistol exploded against his chest and in the narrow bowels of the galleon it was like a cannon blast.

Barselou's huge body enveloped the little man, his knees and fists battering, pummeling, mauling. Trim howled and his revolver blasted again.

The deafening noise joined the echoes of the first explosion. They bounded against rocky walls up and down the canyon, doubling and redoubling, until the wooden ship was a trembling fury.

The Reina groaned, shuddered. Then she began to move.

"—collapsing!" Trim yelled in a piercing voice and tried to claw his way from beneath Barselou's flailing bulk. John Henry threw his free arm around Sin's waist and pulled her close.

A subdued rumble was born among the dying echoes. It grew louder and louder. Then the deck tilted.

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CONOVER braced his feet as the gun platform shivered. The deck tilted more and the thrashing bodies before his hypnotized gaze rolled toward the stern. Old timbers creaked agonizingly and sand poured from above. Two of the great overhead planks parted. The stubby root of a mainmast fell through.

A convulsion seized the Reina as the roar of bursting seams soughed in the narrow canyon slot. Trim scrambled from Barselou's grasp and hugged the shifting deck. A hairy hand fastened around one pirate boot and pulled him back. Trim screamed.

John Henry pushed Sin's face harder against his body.

With a climactic ripping of wood, the decks of the Queen collapsed and plunged through the ancient keel for the canyon floor. Trim's final maniacal shriek spun a thread of terror as the two struggling men dropped from sight with the downpour of wreckage. The thin noise was drowned by the crash of timbers grinding into the earth below.

The sound faded away, dividing itself among other canyons until there was nothing left.

Dust swirled in the silent air.

Sin opened her eyes. Fearfully, she lifted her face from her husband's shoulder and looked around. She began to cry.

Below them yawned the emptiness of the gorge with its churning column of brown dust. They still stood on the gun platform far above the earth. The reverberations of the echoing gunshots and the violent struggles of the two men had caused most of the hull and rotten decking of the galleon to give way. But the stout curving timbers of the Reina's sides had remained, an empty oval between the canyon walls. The curb on which the Conovers huddled had been part of the funnel through which the ruins of the hulk had poured. And the beam to which three of their four wrists were gyved had stayed up as part of the plank spider web holding the hollow shell of the ship in mid-air

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"WE'RE all right now, honey," said John Henry comfortingly. Then he found his voice and repeated it out loud. Sin kept on sobbing. "It's okay, Sin."

"I know, Johnny," she whimpered. "That's why I'm crying."

Gingerly, Conover pried at their iron cuffs. Two of the rusty hinges bent open easily. His own gyve broke apart in his hands. He tossed the pieces at the wreckage below.

The dust cloud was thinning and settling now. He could make out the dead campfire and the startled horses neighing and rearing at the new mountain of rubble that had poured from the sky. To the east, the red disk of morning sun had just topped the mountains to beam on the jigsaw cracks of the Badlands.

John Henry took a deep breath. As soon as Sin felt better, they'd climb down the cliff again to the horses. In the daylight, it would be easy to retrace their trail to Walking Skull—and then civilization. It was going to be another hot day.

Sin finally got her sobs under control. They looked down into the depths of the canyon silently Far below, nothing moved in the heap of broken timbers that had once been the Manila galleon.

"Funny," she said softly. "I feel sorrier for the Queen than I do for anybody."

Her husband put a gentle arm around her waist. To one side of the wreckage, John Henry thought he saw the crushed shape of a three-cornered hat.

"The poor old Queen," he agreed. "It took a long time for the pirates to catch her. But Sin, she put up a wonderful fight."

THE END

Mission Next Week At Clifton City

There will be a mission at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Clifton City, from March 31 to April 2, conducted by the Rev. Father George C. O'Connor. There will be services every evening at 7:45 o'clock and mass every morning at 8:00 o'clock. After each mass an instruction will be given.

The service is not oly for members of their parish, but their non-Catholic friends are welcome.

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Sextette at C. M. E. Church

The "Down Home Sextette" of Mexico, Mo., will appear at 3:00 o'clock and at 7:30 o'clock at the C. M. E. church, North Moniteau avenue and Henry street. Rev. H. L. Wilson, pastor.

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Hal Boyle Says

By Hal Boyl

NEW YORK, March 24—(AP)—Th poor man's philosopher says:

Life, for every man, has three grindstones.

They chafe him more as he grows older, less sure of himself and less innocent. They rub him deeper as he turns to the patterns of an unhappy past to guide him toward what he hopes is a fairer future.

The three grindstones of life, common to all men, are those of duty, doubt and desire:

1 — A man's growing sense of responsibility as he takes over the duties of maturity.

Must Make a Sale

(He knows, if he is a rug salesman, that he can't make a down payment on his boy's college education — the boy who is never to suffer as he did — unless he can sell an off-color green carpet to a lady who wanted an off-blue color, but who isn't quite sure what that is.)

2 — The second grindstones is his developing feeling, as he ages, of a sense of physical insufficiency to deal with the problems his new position requires.

(All his life he wanted to be promoted to a certain job. Now that he has it he is uncertain and doesn't know what to do with it. He is tired. The boss he complained about is no longer there. He is on top and has nobody to blame but himself. He feels the fresher, younger man under him is trying to get his job. And he doubts in his heart whether he has the courage or strength or brains to whip his competition. There is fear in his failing heart.)

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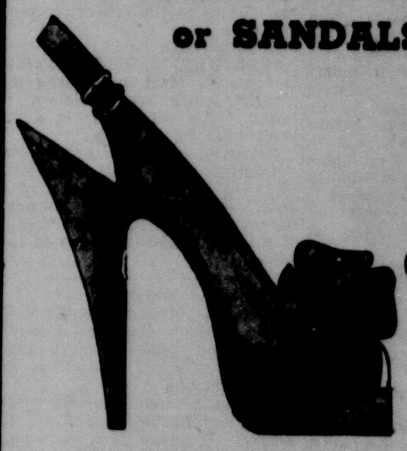

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Annual Dinner For Teachers

The annual dinner given by the Smith-Cotton Parent-Teacher Association for the teachers of Smith-Cotton high school, was held at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Epworth Methodist church, Broadway and Engineer avenue.

William Morgan, president, presided. Following the dinner a feature of entertainment was "Twenty Questions" patterned after the radio program by that name.

A spelling bee was also enjoyed, with three members of the executive board of the P. T. A. matched against three facplty members. The teachers won the contest.

The dinner was attended by 48 persons.

Special guests were Heber U. Hunt, superintendent of schools, and Mrs. Hunt; Joe Benson, principal of Smith-Cotton.

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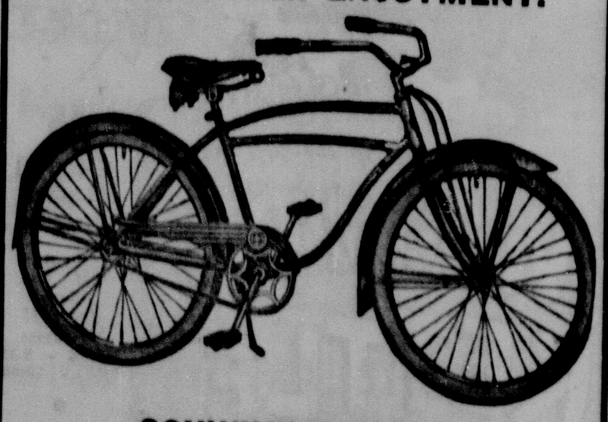

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Social Events

The March meeting of the Smithton Garden club met in the home of Mrs. E. E. Holtzen with Mrs. P. V. Siegel assistant hostess.

The president, Miss Laura Kruse, presided over the business meeting.

Discussion was held on the bazaar and food sale which is to be held at the Hoehns feed store, the proceeds to be used on a landscaping project of the club.

Mrs. E. E. Holtzen gave some suggestions on pruning.

A paper on crepe myrtle, prepared by Mrs. Henry Schlotzhauer, was read by Mrs. John Allen, as Mrs. Schlotzhauer was ill and could not attend.

Mrs. H. L. Hill told of her trip to St. Louis where she attended the flower show, emphasizing mantle and figure arrangements.

Mrs. C. L. Carter of Sedalia, who is second vice president of the State Garden club was to have been the guest speaker but because of bad weather was unable to attend.

Awards for arrangements; forsythia, first, Mrs. E. S. Holtzen; second, Mrs. Virgil Quint. Spring flowers, first, Mrs. H. L. Hill; second honorable mention, Mrs. L. E. Wagenknecht. Begonia blossoms, first Mrs. F. L. Bodenhamier.

Miss Clara Lindemann was a guest. The hostess served refreshments in keeping with St. Patrick's Day.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Allen, with Mrs. Robert Griffin assisting.

Looking Backward

• Forty Years Ago

Attorney Lee Montgomery, of this city, and Judge John D. Lawson, of Columbia, dean of the law department of the University of Missouri, left for Kansas City to arrange for the state meeting of the Missouri State Bar association.

Circuit Judge Louis Hoffman read a paper on "Circumstantial Evidence" before the Nehemgar club. Members of the legal fraternity, who were invited to the meeting, took part in the discussion that followed.

Dr. C. L. Allen, of Kansas City, a young veterinarian, has arrived to arrange for practice of his profession here.

Harry H. Harnsberger has resigned as deputy county collector and has taken a position as traveling representative for an importing firm with headquarters in St. Louis. He will work out of Sedalia and travel in Missouri and northern Kansas.

Forty-seven applicants for positions as teachers in the schools of the county are taking examinations here under supervision of T. R. Luckett, county superintendent of schools.

Mitchum's D-Day Is March 30th

LOS ANGELES, March 25.—(AP)—Robert Mitchum, deeply tanned and sporting a mustache, is back in the county jail for the finish of his sentence on a marijuana conviction.

The screen hero has been doing an outdoor stint for some five weeks at the county honor farm and appeared trimmer as well as tanner. He boasted of an .800 batting average as a second baseman in intercamp softball games.

His behavior apparently has been exemplary. The 60-day sentence has been chopped to 50—five days off for each month—for good behavior. D Day, for departure, is now set for March 30 for both Mitchum and Lila Leeds, the pert little blonde who received the same sentence.

Charles J. McEniry Will Filed in Court

The will of the late Charles J. McEniry, drawn up July 6, 1948, was filed in probate court this morning.

Having heretofore made provisions for one son, John Robert McEniry, and a daughter, Mrs. Jane Hogan, he bequeathed his interest in "The Smoke House" to his sons, Charles Burns McEniry and Joe McEniry.

All the rest of the residue was left to his wife, Mrs. Helen McEniry.

Joe McEniry and Lawrence Barnett were named as joint executors of the will.

Traffic Cases

Three overtime parking bonds of one dollar each were forfeited in police court this morning.

Quisenberry Club Meeting

A meeting of the Quisenberry Home Economics Club was held on March 23 with Mrs. J. W. Eirls and Mrs. T. E. Owens as hostesses, at the former's home.

The morning session was led by Mrs. Paul Read and Mrs. Orin Chappel, who prepared and demonstrated vegetable and salad dishes which were served with the noon meal. The true or false test on "how good is your canned food" and a recipe of one dish meal were given.

Mrs. Carl Johnson led the afternoon meeting and a report was given of clothing that the club sent to the Navajo Indians.

Roll call was answered with each member naming her favorite magazine. Mrs. Roy Chaney led the devotional prayer. Mrs. L. H. Haggard read a collection of poems of which one was given to each of the members and guests to read.

Games and songs in keeping with St. Patrick's Day was led by the song and game leader.

Mrs. Josephine Flora, of Columbia, Mo., Mrs. Frank McKeney, Mrs. Lula Neitzert, Mrs. Claud Arnett and Miss Gladys Arnett were special guests.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. L. H. Haggard.

South Abell Club Meeting

The South Abell Extension club met at the home of Mrs. Raymond Chancy.

Mrs. Mason Riley as assistant hostess.

At the noon hour a contributive dinner was served.

Mrs. E. E. Barrick, president, conducted the business meeting, which was opened by singing the club song, and repeating the club collect. Roll call was answered by 13 members telling about "My Pets."

Mrs. Charley Meyers gave a reading on plants and flowers and Mrs. Mason Riley read the scripture.

Mrs. T. B. Stockstill gave out literature on home canning and talked of foods demonstration.

The club voted to give $2.00 to the Red Cross drive.

Mrs. J. Kehl was a visitor.

The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Henry Anderson, with Mrs. A. K. Smith as assistant hostess.

Funny Business — *By Hershberger*

"It's not enough that she beats us hanging out the wash —she has to rub it in, dedicating it with a flag!"

Churchills to Washington

While Mrs. Churchill puts out a cigarette, her husband, Winston Churchill, reaches impatiently for his watch to see the time of departure of his train from New York for Washington. The wartime Premier of Great Britain is scheduled to meet with President Truman while in Washington. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Her Story Much Tamer Today

ST. LOUIS, March 25.—(AP)—An 18-year-old girl from Nashville, Tenn., Carol Janet White, told police a somewhat tamer story today after sleeping on her original tale of a brief hold-up career.

Patrolman Maurice O'Neill, Jr., who spotted her on a downtown street late yesterday from a picture he was carrying, said she admitted shooting and wounding a taxi driver near Woodbury, Tenn., March 5, but backed down from her statement about a hold-up tour ranging from the South to Detroit.

O'Neill quoted her as saying, in a new statement this morning, "I just got started lying last night and kept on."

He said she told of shooting George Patrick, 35, a cab driver, three times after he "got fresh" with her. Then, she said, she "ran through some fields to another road and hitch-hiked to Nashville."

O'Neill said she gave these further details in her second statement: She stole a 45 calibre pistol in Nashville and went to Woodbury to visit friends. She couldn't find the friends and took the cab for Nashville. After the shooting, she hitch-hiked to Nashville, Detroit, Toledo and Cincinnati, where she sold the pistol. In Knoxville she bought a 32 calibre pistol, but never obtained a bullet for it. She hitch-hiked to St. Louis yesterday in a truck.

Traffic Violator Fined

A traffic violator was fined Thursday in circuit court, and another was fined Wednesday.

Wilbur Lee Biers was fined $75 and costs, and had his Iowa driver's license suspended for one year on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

Warren Anderson Speed paid a fine of $25 and costs for careless and reckless driving.

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Lulu Rimel, wife of F. O. Rimel, Route 3, is a patient at Research hospital, Kansas City, where this morning she underwent an operation.

Truck Lacked Proper Markings

Operating a 1948 Ford pick-up truck with improper markings cost Robert Henry Long, 918 South Stewart avenue, five dollars and court costs in Magistrate court today.

There is a law in this state which requires the name and address, local or long distance hauling, be shown on a truck.

Here To Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Embry, of Denver, Colo., will leave tonight for their home, after coming to Sedalia to attend the funeral of Elwood Embry, who was killed last week in an automobile accident.

Others here to attend the funeral were his uncle, Emmett Wood, and family, of Detroit, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Strine and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stillfield, of Maysville.

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Funds Included For Building Dam

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—The civil functions appropriation bill now before the House contains $125,000 for further planning of the Table Rock dam and reservoir and $8,000 for plans for the Carthage project, both in Missouri.

Rep. Short (R-Mo) told a reporter that the amounts are not earmarked in the bill but committee members said they are included in a lump sum for project planning.

A delegation from the Springfield, Mo., area, including Short, had appeared before an appropriations subcommittee and asked money to start actual construction of the project this year.

Short said the committee allowed nothing for new construction.

"I guess we were lucky to get the $125,000 for Table Rock and $8,000 for Carthage," he said. "Those were the amounts recommended to the committee by the budget for use on the project next fiscal year."

Cooper County Educator Dies

BOONVILLE, Mo., March 25—(AP)—William B. Downing, 75, who was Cooper county superintendent of schools from 1916 to 1932 died last night in a Boonville hospital. His home was near Pilot Grove.

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Records of Two Teams Outstanding

Tyler, Tex., and Compton, Calif., To Clash Tonight

HUTCHISON, Kas., March 25—(AP)—Two of the nation's highest scoring junior college basketball teams will write the 1949 chapter of their rivalry tonight.

Tyler, Tex., junior college and Compton, Calif, will be playing for a finalist berth in the National College Athletic Association basketball tournament.

Tyler will be shooting to avenge two one-point defeats by Compton, but the records for both schools are outstanding.

Compton defeated Tyler 20-19 in the Texas Rose Bowl football game in 1947 and came back last year to win 66-65 in the first annual junior college basketball tournament at Springfield, Mo.

The tournament records leave little to choose between the two. Tyler advanced to the semifinals with a 64-42 victory over Bayonne, N. J., and a 78-63 decision over Brainerd, Minn. That maintained Tyler's season scoring average of better than 70 points per game.

Compton blasted Benton Harbor, Mich., 81-49 in the first round and went through a five-minute overtime to win from Mremerton, Dash., 62-61 in the second round.

Big Contest At 6:30

The Tyler-Compton game is scheduled for 6:30 p. m. (CST).

Grant Tech of Del Paso Heights, Calif., and Hutchinson, Kas., are the other semifinalists, meeting at 8 p. m.

Hutchinson upset Dodge City, Kas., 55-48, last night and Grant Tech beat Weber College of Ogden, Utah, 65-58.

In consolation games yesterday Campbellsville, Ky., eliminated Sayre, Okla., 68-57; Joliet, Ill., eliminated Tifton, Ga., 64-57, and Olympic of Bremerton, Wash., eliminated Brainerd, Minn., 71-65.

Three consolation games are scheduled this afternoon and one tonight:

1 p. m.—Webster City, Ia., vs. Campbell College, Buie's Creek, N. C.

2:30 p. m.—Campbellsville, Ky., vs. Joliet, Ill.

4 p. m.—Dodge City, Kas., vs. Weber College, Ogden, Utah.

The Webster City-Campbell winner and the Campbellsville-Joliet winner will meet at 9:30 p. m.

Olympic College of Bremerton, Wash., will meet the Dodge City-Weber College winner at 6:30 p. m. Saturday for fourth place.

SPORTS

Coach Feels Optimistic

By Jack Hewin

SEATTLE, March 25 — (AP) — Basketball coach Adolph Rupp doesn't know how good his Kentucky Wildcats really are — they win too often.

Rupp was only half joking last night when he told that to the Seattle Cougar club. His Wildcats, who defend their National Collegiate Athletic Association championship here Saturday night against Oklahoma A&M have lost only two games in 31 played this year.

"Coach Hank Iba's Oklahoma Aggies are dangerous every time they play," Rupp conceded, "but if my boys play up to their ability it will take a truly great team to beat them."

"The first ten minutes will decide the game," said Ed Hickey, whose St. Louis Billikens edged out Kentucky and lost to Iba's Aggies.

"If big Al Groza and his Kentucky mates can get six or eight points ahead, they're a cinch," expounded Hickey. "If the Aggies can hold them off, I look for Iba's crew to break through with a second half drive and win."

Slats Gill of Oregon State, which meets Illinois in tomorrow night's preliminary game, was high on the Aggies. Recalling his game with Iba's men in the western finals at Kansas City, Gill said "we tried everything we knew and had no luck with anything."

Each of the teams had an hour or more on the University of Washington pavilion floor yesterday afternoon and evening and planned repeat workouts late today.

Keith Smith, sophomore guard of Oklahoma A&M, is suffering from an ankle infection and Iba did not expect him to be able to play Saturday night.

Dixie Walker Top Hitter For Pirates

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 25—(AP)—The old man with the scythe apparently hasn't done any harm to Dixie Walker as a hitter.

Even though Walker, now nearing 39, got to training camp 10 days late, he is top man among the three Pittsburgh Pirates who are slapping the apple at a .400 clip or better.

Dixie was going strong when the 1949 season finished—he was leading the club with a mark of .316. He didn't let up over winter. With 10 of the 34 exhibition games out of the way, he has banged out eight base hits in 19 trips for an average of .421.

What the other boys on the team want to know is this: With Dixie Walker spending all his time as the National League player representative—holding press conferences, sending out questionnaires, counting votes—how does he find time for enough practice to stay on top of the club's batters.

MIAA Indoor Track Meet On Saturday

Maryville Favored To Win The Meet Held at Columbia

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 25—(AP)—Rolla School of Mines will defend its MIAA indoor track and field championship in Brewer field house here tomorrow, but the Miners are expected to have no easy task in taking this one.

Coach Gale Bullman of Rolla joins the other coaches in complaining that unfavorable weather has made preparations for the meet very unsatisfactory.

Several of the coaches said their squads had gotten less than a month—and that interrupted — because of cold weather.

"Maryville has much power in the weights and sprints," Bullman said, "and likely will win the meet."

The Miners are expected to come up with considerable points however, with J. C. Corbin, hurdles; George Bock, shot putter; and Don Smith, middle distances and Norman Turner, middle distances.

Cape Girardeau, which beat Rolla by one half a point, 42½ to 32, for the outdoor crown last year, and Springfield, second to Rolla in the indoor, also are expected to make bids for the title tomorrow.

Coach Ryland Milner of Maryville, has a well balanced squad headed by Pat Zuchowski, sprinter and Al Wormsley, in the shot put. Wormsley won the outdoor shot last year.

McDonald a Threat

Joe McDonald, coach of Cape Girardeau, has an outstanding middle distance star in Ralph Corse who set the mile record for the meet at 4:33 last year. H also will be a threat in the half-mile. McDonald says Cape is not up to championship caliber in the sprints and hurdles but claims capable performers in shotputter Dayle McDaniel, and broad jumpers Bobby Coffey and Tom McEwen.

Coach Claude Groves of Springfield doesn't expect his team to be a contender, pointing out that the Bears have had only five days suitable for practice.

Boyd King, of Kirksville and Bib Broach of Warrensburg, each making their first start as track coaches in the MIAA have several capable performers, but neither figures to come up with a championship contender.

Only three letter men will be included in the Kirksville squad of eight or ten men, according to King, who says "I'll be surprised if we win any points."

Wrestlers Tug For Honors

FORT COLLINS, Colo., March 25—(AP)—Wrestlers from 37 schools start tugging with each other today for National Collegiate Athletic Association honors.

Oklahoma A. and M. is strongly favored to retain the team title it has held for 15 years. Nearly 150 athletes are competing in the eight weight divisions. Champions will be crowned Saturday night in these weights: 121 pounds, 128, 136, 145, 155, 165, 175 and heavyweight.

Last year's runnerup Michigan State is regarded again as the chief contender for the Oklahoma Aggies' monoply.

Thurman McGraw, Colorado A. and M.'s massive football tackle, is expected to provide some sharp competition for Dick Hutton, Oklahoma A. and M.'s defending champ in the heavyweight division. McGraw and Hutton tussled to a draw in a recent dual meet. That victory by Oklahoma A. and M. over the Colorado Aggies was the Oklahomans' 68th consecutive triumph in dual competition.

Oklahoma Aggies' title defending team is made up of the same wrestlers as last year's with one exception.

Cage Title to be Decided Tonight

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 25—(AP) — Nine Missouri National guard basketball teams take the floor here today and tonight to decide the services cage title.

Among the entries, all victors in their own guard leagues, are the defending champions, Battery B, 128th Field Artillery, Columbia, and the runner-up quintet, the headquarters Battery of the 128th Field Artillery of Maryville.

Matched in the opening game are the headquarters company 205th medical battalion of Kansas City and the heavy mortar company, 140th infantry, Salem.

The winner of this game will enter the first round, meeting headquarters battery, 129th FA of Maryville at 9 p. m. tonight.

Other first round games today: Headquarters company, 140th infantry, Cape Girardeau vs Co. I, 138th inf., St. Louis, 2 p. m.

Headquarters Co., 35th division, Warrensburg vs Troop F, 108th Calvary Squadron, Monett, 3:30 p. m.

Battery B, 128th FA, Columbia vs Co. K, 140th infantry, Kennett 7:30 p. m.

Giant Team Welcomes Howie Pollet

Latest Trade Rumor Has Howie On Way to N. Y.

By the Associated Press

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 25—(AP)—The "latest" trade rumor in the camp of the New York Giants has Howie Pollet, stylish St. Louis Cardinal lefthander on the way to the Polo Grounders.

Pollet would be a welcome addition to Leo Durocher's crew for two reasons, he can pitch and he has been one of the Cards' most effective hurlers against the home run hitting Giants. Pollet has a 14-4 lifetime record against the New Yorkers. Outfielder Bobby Thomson is the Giant player involved in the supposed Pollet deal.

BRADENTON, Fla., March 25—(AP)—A pair of Texas leaguers, second baseman Johnny Lane and first sacker Charley Kress, may hold down the right side of Cincinnati's infield on opening day, Manager Bucky Walters said today.

Both fancy fielders, Lane and Kress, late of Tulsa, have been belting the ball at such a clip they figure to beat out second baseman Bobby Adams and Benny Zientara and first baseman Ted Kluszewski for starting jobs.

BURBANK, Calif., March 25—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns have cut loose three young pitchers. Don Larsen was sent to the Browns' training base at Pine Bluff, Ark. John Crocco goes back to San Antonio and Bud Swartz was optioned to Portland of the Pacific Coast lague by Baltimore, which has a working agreement with the Browns.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 25—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals journey to Lakeland, Fla., today to play the Detroit Tigers.

Gerry Staley, Bill Reeder and Cloyd Boyer were slated to hurl for the Cards. St. Louis failed to get the customary good pitching yesterday and dropped a 5-4 decision to the Philadelphia Phils in 11 innings.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25—(AP)—Manager Lou Boudreau's intermittent appearances in the Cleveland Indians' lineup have netted him a .571 batting average.

Boudreau has hit 12 times in 21 tries. Yesterday he got a double and two homers in five attempts as the Tribe whipped the Chicago Cubs 7 to 4 in Los Angeles. It was Lou's bat that put the Tribe back into the winning column after four straight losses by one-run margin.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, March 255—(AP)—Prediction: Hank Iba's Oklahoma Aggies will knock off Adolph Rupp's Kentucky Wildcats in the NCAA basketball final at Seattle tomorrow. . . . Reason is that Hank is the best one-game coach in the business. Given reasonably good material, which is just what he has, Iba usually can come up with something to stop any rival — St. Louis, for instance. . . . Loyola showed that Kentucky can be stopped and the Wildcats showed some unaccountable "flat" spots against Illinois. . . . Could be that Groza, Jones & Co., who have been practicing or playing almost continously since September, 1947, have had too much basketball.

Airy Conversation

When Charlie Speidel, Penn State wrestling coach, decided to take his eastern heavyweight champ, Homer Barr, to the NCAA championships at Fort Collins, Colo., this weekend, he figured it would be good to travel by air. But Charlie wasn't sure Homer would like it. So he tried the indirect approach. . . . "Do you like flying?" Speidel asked. Barr indicated it was okay. . . . "Then you wouldn't mind flying to Fort Collins for the Nationals?" "No," Barr responded quietly "You see, Mr. Speidel, I already have my pilot's license."

Springfield Harlows Reached Semi-Finals

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 25—(AP)—The Springfield Harlows were the first team to reach the semi-finals of the Independent Basketball Association of America tournament.

The Harlows eliminated Clever, Mo., last night 55 to 38.

The Rolla Rockets advanced to the quarter finals by defeating Stover, Mo., 59 to 39 in the last second-round game.

Three-quarter final games are booked for tonight. At 7 p. m. Benton, Ky. will meet the Ozark Millers; at 8:15 p. m. Conway, Mo. will play the Springfield Lions, and at 9:30 p. m. Rolla will face the Joplin Tamkos.

The semi-finals will be played tomorrow afternoon and the finals tomorrow night.

Paterson Declares He Has Fought His Last Fight

LIVERPOOL, England, March 25—(AP)—Scotland's Jackie Paterson has announced an end to his turbulent boxing career after losing his British and Empire bantamweight championship.

Paterson was soundly beaten in a 15-round title fight last night by Stan Rowan, 24-year-old Liverpool fighter. Eath weighed 117.

"I've fought my last fight," declared the Glasgow, Scotland, veteran after his defeat.

Finalists Meet In AAU Tourney

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 25—(AP)—It's a cinch a Nashville team will win the Women's National A. A. U. basketball tournament championship tonight.

The finalists are Nashville Business college and the Nashville Goldblumes.

The Tennessee teams won their semi-final games last night, beating the Elkin, N. C., Chathams and the Winston-Salem, N. C., Hanes Hosiery quintets.

The Goldblumes, defending champions, trounced Elkin, 36-27. Nashville Business college defeated Winston-Salem, 29-21.

A consolation bracket championship game will be played tonight also between the Little Dixie Queens of McAlester, Okla., and the Okmulgee, Okla., Cardinals at 6:45 p. m. (CST).

McAlester's Queens, called the "Iron Girls" because they have no substitutes, beat the Kansas City, Kas., Sparkies, 17-16, last night in an overtime game. Okmulgee defeated Magnolia Arkansas A. & M., 42-36.

The championship game is at 9:30 p. m. The third place game is at 8 p. m.

Lacy May Set College Record

By Ben Funk

DENVER, March 25—(AP)—Jim Lacy, the southpaw set shot artist from Loyola of Baltimore, seemed a dead cinch to set a new all-time college basketball scoring record as the National Catholic tournament moved into the semi-finals today.

Lacy, covered like a blanket by hustling Jack Brasch, still managed to squeeze out 13 points as Loyola defeated Gonzaga of Spokane, Wash., 53-51 in last night's quarter-finals.

This ran his four-year total to 2158, just three points shy of the record held by Brooms Abramovic of Salem college and Lacy has two more games to go. If Loyola loses to Regis of Denver in tonight's semi-finals the team will play in the consolation finals.

Salem college officials claimed yesterday that Abramovic actually scored 2170 points—that there was a nine point mistake in the record books. But barring a broken leg or an attack of Rocky mountain spotted fever, Lacy should easily beat that figure too.

St. Francis of Brooklyn, N. Y. and St. Benedict's of Atchison, Kas. The surprise teams of the tournament collide at 8:30 p. m. (CST) and Yoyola meets second seeded Regis at 10 p. m., tonight.

Lacy hit a basket and a free throw in the last minute to give Loyola its quarter final victory over fourth seeded Gonzaga and the brawling St. Francis team humbled third seeded St. Thomas 59-41.

Plea to Farmers To Guard Forest

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25—In a plea to farmers not to burn their woods, State Forester Geo. O. White pointed to Missouri's 15,000,000 acres of potentially productive forest land.

White said this area could, under proper care, provide an annual crop of lumber and farm wood products worth five times the present cash return. "As it is," states the chief forester, "this vast area has been rendered more of a liability than an asset to the people of the state due primarily to the mistaken belief that fire is a 'must' toward range improvement."

Over two-thirds of Missouri's annual 6,000 wildfires are caused through man's neglect or intent, the forester said, as he urged the owners to refrain from any form of burning during the dry, windy days of March and April. Farmers finding certain control burning necessary are urged to follow these rules. Don't burn on dry, windy days. Burn only in late afternoon after wind has died. Have sufficient help to keep fire under control. Rake a wide path or fire-line around the pile or area to be burned. Burn against the wind. Do not leave fire until it is absolutely out.

Wild Ducks Died Of Lead Poison

GLASGOW, March 25—The estimated 2,000 wild ducks that died of lead poisoning at the Dalton Cut-off near here a couple of months ago would very likely be alive and quacking today had it not been for an unbalanced diet.

Scientists have found that when a duck picks up a few stray pellets of lead shot along with a steady diet of corn he is practically a dead duck before he knows it.

Dr. Harlow B. Mills, chief of a survey conducted by the Illinois Natural Histpry laboratory at Havana, found that when corn fed mallards were fed only four No. 6 pellets each, nine out of ten birds died within 12 to 30 days. But when ducks having well balanced diets were fed 25 No. 4 lead pellets each, not a single lead poisoning case was recorded.

Harold Terrill, Missouri Conservation Commission biologist, said that with the advent of the mechanical corn picker in the corn belt, ducks are taking advantage of the increased amount of corn left in fields and are staying much farther north of their usual wintering grounds. In this area, as in many others, over wintering ducks have little opportunity for securing a balanced diet with most green stuffs gone or frozen.

Thursday's Exhibition Baseball Results

By The Associated Press

Cincinnati (N) 6, Washington (A) 4.
Philadelphia (N) 5, St. Louis (N) 4 (11 innings).
Detroit (A) 5, New York (A) 0.
Boston (N) 8, Boston (A) 4.
St. Louis (A) 2, New York (N) 0.
Cleveland (A) 7, Chicago (N) 4.

Taking of Gray Foxes' With Gun Ends Mar. 31

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25—The legal taking of gray foxes with gun or dog will end March 31. Foxes may be chased by "dogs under control" at any time but may not be taken except during the open season. Grey foxes may be taken by trap, gun, or dog from December 1 to January 20, and by gun or dog from January 20 until March 31.

Brooklyn is Ready For Contenders

Manager Feels As if Team Will Win Pennant

By Jack Hand

VERO BEACH, Fla., March 25—(AP)—Manager Burt Shotton has sold the Brooklyn Dodgers on themselves as the team that should win the National league pennant.

From rookie to veteran, the squad believes it's the best.

Shotton hopes to go with Duke Snider, a powerful farm product, in centerfield. He has moved Carl Furillo, the boy with the rifle arm, to right. In left he probably will start Gene Hermanski.

Snider may be the "long ball" hitter the Dodgers have been chasing for years.

Outfielders

Sorting the outfielders is one of Shotton's main problems. Cal Abrams, a .337 hitter at Mobile, has been slugging the ball in the exhibitions. Tommy Brown, only 21, and who has been around Dodger camps for five years as an infielder, is another contender.

Marv Rackley, the club's top hitter at .327 must get a shot. Likewise ick Whitman and Geo. Shuba, then the club has Mike McCormick, .303 batter with the champion Boston Braves who was acquired in the Pete Reiser deal. Six will stay.

Base Positions

Gil Hodges, converted from a catcher last summer, in the first baseman, and Jackie Robinson is a fixture at second. Pee Wee Reese, now team captain, is at short and probably Billy Cox, "flop" of 1948, at third.

In Cox's way are Spider Jorgensen, regular on the '47 pennant winners and three others. Eddie Miksis will be kept as infield insurance. They may decide to hold onto an additional baseman, either Preston Ward or ee Fondy.

Bruce Edwards, still having arm trouble, heads the catching staff with Roy Campanella, the capable Negro receiver.

Pitching Staff

Ralph Branca and Rex Barney, are the kingpins of the pitching staff. Branca had a 14-9 record last year despite injuries. Barney hurled a no hitter enroute to a 13-13 season. Left hander Joe Hatten (13-10) and Preacher Roe (12-8) are other sure starters.

Harry Taylor, a star in '47 but weakened by an appendicitis operation last year, looks like his old self. Carl Erskine, 15-game winner at Ft. Worth before he joined the Dodgers in July, rates a starting shot. So does Erv Palica (6-6) who did most of his work in the Ebbets Field bullpen. Jack Banta, up from Montreal with a 19-9 report card, has a good chance to make the grade.

Frank Laga, lean submarine ball pitcher and Hank Behrman, No. 2 man to Casey, are available as reliefers.

Fights Thursday Night
By th Associated Press

NEW YORK — Al Guido, 144½ New York, outpointed Leo Sawicki, 147¾, Worcester, Mass., 8.

LIVERPOOL, England — Stan Rowan, 117, Liverpool, outpointed Jackie Paterson, 117, Scotland, 15. (For British and Empire bantamweight title.)

U. S. Hockey League Playoffs
By The Associated Press

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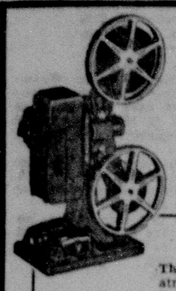

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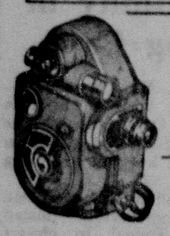

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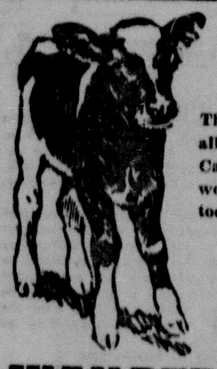

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A resident of Dallas, Texas, Mr. MacRae came to Sedalia in the course of a national tour as a member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, established by Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science.

The healings reported by Mr. MacRae were given to illustrate his main theme that freedom, the highest human objective next to life itself, can be rightly found only in the understanding of God and His Christ.

"Our purpose here this evening," the lecturer said, "is to gain more light, or spiritual enlightenment, on a very important subject: Light, that will make available and practicable to everyone who listens with an open thought the way of freedom from every form and phase of earthly trouble as the Master, Christ Jesus taught. The subject is Christian Science, particularly from the standpoint of the practical and enlightened way of freedom which it offers every individual and nation from the bondage and harassment of sickness, sin, hunger, deprivation, sorrow, separation and death—in a word, from the darkness of materiality and mortality.

"Remembering that you have been invited here and, therefore, are surely entitled to the usual courteous treatment accorded to guests, let me assure you that Christian Science lectures are not given for the purpose of urging upon you a doctrine contrary or antagonistic to your own convictions. This would not be freedom but a form of compulsion, and Christian Science is a religion of freedom. It teaches that freedom of which the Apostle Paul spoke to the Galatians (Gal. 5:1): 'Stand fast therefore in the liberty where with Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.'

"Therefore, you may feel perfectly at ease and open-minded. Should some of the statements seem opposed to your view of things, you need but remind yourself that you are listening to an authorized discourse on what Christian Scientists accept and demonstrate daily as the correct and provable concept of God, man and the universe. It is presented here for your thoughtful consideration. And may I add that many well-authenticated healings are taking place at the Christian Science lectures."

The explanation for these healings, Mr. MacRae continued, is the restoration in this age by Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, of the way of freedom taught by Moses and the other Bible seers, and consummated in the living example of Christ Jesus.

"Here is a way of freedom," he added, "so obvious and open, the wonder is that it had not been seen and demonstrated long before this. Paul's clear spiritual discernment that God, being Spirit, must be and is everywhere, revealed also that in the presence of this Spirit there could be no bondage, but only liberty. Man's presence with or oneness with this divine Spirit not only gives liberty, but is liberty.

"The Christian Science textbook 'Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures' by Mary Baker Eddy, states it thus (p. 481): 'Man is tributary to God, Spirit, and to nothing else. God's being is infinity, freedom, harmony, and boundless bliss. "Where the Spirit of the Lord is there is liberty."'

"It would be well were the world today to understand this true, demonstrable concept of freedom which Christian Science reveals, for the threat of dictators and aggressor nations would then be past. Mrs. Eddy in Science and Health (p. 575) saw that the holy city described in the Apocalypse (Rev. 21:16) represents the spiritual glory of Christian Science. 'Mighty potentates and dynasties,' she writes (p. 577), 'will lay down their honors within the heavenly city.'"

Christian Science is based entirely upon the Bible, Mr. MacRae explained, and therefore teaches not one thing that is in the slightest degree contrary or contradictory to the Bible.

"More than any other teaching," he continued, "it shows the Bible to be the true and only guide to spiritual life with its eternal blessings, because it reveals the divine fact that God is Life, the only Life, and that we reflect this Life. 'The central fact of the Bible,' we are told in 'Science and Health (p. 131), 'is the superiority of spiritual over physical power.'

"The Bible, loved, revered, and respected by all sincere Christians everywhere, has given us the true way of Life through Christ Jesus. This way unfolds and grows ever clearer and more practical, even in our daily affairs, as our spiritual understanding increases. How clearly the Apostle Paul saw this and how impressively he expressed it in these words in the Holy Scriptures: 'For if by one man's offence death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ' (Rom. 5:17)); and, 'For Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to every one that believeth (Rom. 10:4). Christian Science accepts the Word of God as revealed in the Bible, as the law of Life."

The physical healings brought about by Christian Science are due to individual understanding of the Christ, as expounded and demonstrated by Jesus, Mr. MacRae said.

"It was because Jesus so clearly heard the 'divine message' or Christ that he was ever conscious of his oneness with the Father," he added. "It is this 'divine message' of which we become increasingly conscious as we grow spiritually through the study and application of Christian Science, that destroys the false mortal sense of separation from God, divine Love, and establishes us more firmly on the Rock, Christ, Truth.

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No. 9932
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Henry Riley, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 21st day of February, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 21st day of February, 1949.
KURMAN W. RILEY,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 21st day of February, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9931
Administratrix's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of John M. Stewart, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of February 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administratrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 18th day of February, 1949.
NORA MAY GIBBINS,
Administratrix.

Attested by me this 18th day of February, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

Boyd Takes Over; Gets Back Pay

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Dr. James Boyd collected $10,847.83 in back pay Thursday and formally took over as director of bureau of mines. He had held the post for two years without pay most of the time.

Before the was sworn in, Secretary of Interior Krug handed him a check for $4,532.36. Immediately afterwards, Krug gave him another for $6,315.47.

He still has a third installment coming. The total back pay due him before he received the two checks was $12,000, the department said.

No. 9940
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Margaret Martin, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of March, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 1st day of March, 1949.
WILLIAM MARTIN,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 1st day of March, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Henry C. Salveter.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9942
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Vincent, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 11th day of March, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 11th day of March, 1949.
HENRY C. SALVETER,
Executor.

Attested by me this 11th day of March, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION

By virtue and authority of orders of sale in partition, issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Pettis County, Missouri, dated the 10th day of February, 1949 and the 9th day of March, 1949, and to me directed in favor of Charles L. Hanley, Allie A. Wherley and Henry C. Salveter, as Trustees of the Trust Estate of Green McFarland, deceased and Josephine Fichter and Pete McFarland as plaintiffs, and against Clay McFarland, Rosella McFarland Anderson, Ruth Fichter, Ralph McFarland, Floyd McFarland, Donald McFarland, and the possible unborn children of Josephine Fichter, defendants, and it appearing to the court that the plaintiffs are entitled to the relief prayed for in their petition, ordered that the property described in plaintiff's petition be sold by the sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri, as provided by law in such cases. Now therefore, in order to comply with the terms of said order of sale, I, the undersigned sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri, shall proceed to sell the said real estate, so ordered sold, and situated in Pettis County, Missouri, to-wit:

20 acres, being the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 47, Range 20.

30 acres, being all of Lot 1 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46 Range 20.

The South 28.62 acres of the East Half of Lot 2 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5 Township 46, Range 20.

57.24 acres, being the West Half of Lot 2 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46 Range 20.

30 acres, being all that part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46, Range 20 lying North of Muddy Creek.

1½ acres, being all that part of the West Half of Lot 1 of the Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Township 46, Range 20, lying North of Muddy Creek.

All of the above described lands being and situate in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri, and I will on Saturday the 2nd day of April, 1949, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri, and while the circuit court is in session sell the above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand in order to comply with the said order of sale.

Dated this 9th day of March 1949.
JOHN F. TAYLOR,
Sheriff of Pettis County Missouri.
John T. Martin, Attorney.
3-11, 3-18, 3-35, 4-1

Tommy Delph Now in Alaska With The Navy

Stationed Just 200 Miles From Russian Soil

An interesting letter was written by Thomas E. Delph, SKSA, a storekeeper in the navy, which was received this week by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H.Delph, 1708 South Quincy avenue.

Thos. E. Delph

Known to his many friends as Tommy, young Delph joined the U. S. navy shortly after graduating from the Smith-Cotton high school last spring. He took his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill., and from there was assigned to a trade school in New Jersey, where he successfully completed a course as storekeeper.

Now a salty sailor, Delph is stationed at an airfield just two hundred miles from Russian soil at Kodiak, Alaska. In his lengthy letter to his parents, he asserts that his outfit stationed on the airbase are ready for any tricks the Russians may have up their sleeves. In his letter, he wrote that the ground was covered with American planes, Jet Fighters, Heavy Bombers, etc.

He said the weather in Alaska is not too bad, except for the bitter winds that blow from the ocean. He complimented the Alaskan scenery, and mentioned in the letter he was going skiing as soon as the ice melted off the snow.

While in Seattle, Wash., before shoving off to Alaska, Delph spent a week-end with Britt Bernard, another Sedalia sailor, who joined the salty service prior to Delph's joining up.

Also in Seattle, Tommy mentioned in his letter he had a nice visit with Mr .and Mrs. John Berry. John, who is also a Sedalian, joined the navy about a year ago, and while he was home in December married Dorothy Cowherd. The young couple is now residing on the west coast.

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Brains Serve with eggs	5 lbs.	59¢
Eggs Fresh from Pettis County farms	Doz.	41¢
Salt Jowls Fine for seasoning	Lb.	17½¢
Lamb Chops Loin or ribs	Lb.	39¢
Head Lettuce	2 for	29¢
Best For Juice Oranges	Doz.	31¢
Good Potatoes	10 lbs.	39¢
Tender Celery	stalk	12¢
Snowhite Cauliflower	lb.	17¢
Fancy Tomatoes	ctn.	27¢
Crisp Red Radishes	bch.	5¢
White - Yellow - Red Onion Sets	qt.	10¢
White Taystee Bread Limit 4	loaf	10¢
Nise and White Flour	25 lbs.	$1.69
Good Coffee Our blend	3 lbs.	99¢
Nu-Maid Margarine	2 lbs.	45¢
Rinso or Surf	lge. box	27¢
Shortening Spry	3 lb. cans	97¢

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Police Escort For Russian

Russian Composer Dmitri Shostakovich, right foreground, is escorted by policemen as he arrives at LaGuardia field in New York to attend the three-day Cultural and Scientific Conference for World Peace. More than 50 police officers were in and around the airport Terminal building to keep order during the arrival of Shostakovich and six other Russians who also will attend the "peace rally." (NEA TELEPHOTO)

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Lincoln Boys Meet in Hawaii

Two Lincoln boys had a thrill recently when they met in Hawaii. Pfc. Charles C. Hare, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hare, of Lincoln, is stationed in Hawaii and that far away from home he read the county newspaper, The Benton County Guide. While reading the paper he saw an item about Robert Poague, of Lincoln, telling what ship Poage was on. That was as much as Pfc. Hare wanted to know—when that ship docked at Hawaii he was going to be right there and he was.

Pfc. Hare got aboard the ship and located Poague. He walked up to him and twisted his arm. Poague was so surprised and happy to see an old friend from Lincoln, but he wasn't any happier than Pfc. Hare.

The next day Hare and Herb Williams, also of Lincoln, borrowed the commanding officer's car and took Poague on a sight-seeing trip. The next day Poague had to be on his way. On the pier, as the ship moved out to sea, was Pfc. Hare, waving goodbye to his friend.

Taking Time on K-T Measure

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25.—(AP)—The house labor committee is going to take its time on deciding what to do with a bill repealing the King-Thompson utility anti-strike act.

Rep. Thomas A. Walsh (D) of St. Louis, chairman, said no action on the bill probably would be taken for at least two weeks.

"Then we might retain some features of it," he added.

Both labor and industry argued opposite sides on repeal of the act for more than three hours last night.

Labor is for repeal of the act, which was passed by the last legislature. And industry wants to keep it on the books.

The law calls for compulsory arbitration of labor disputes involving the utilities before the mediation board. It also gives the Governor power to take over a utility where labor trouble has caused a work stoppage.

James A. Davis, executive secretary of the State Industrial Union Council, said the utility employe is the only loser under the act. He termed it a nunjust, unfair law.

R. T. Wood, president of the State Federation of Labor, called it a "slave labor act that destroys collective bargaining."

Movie Houses Cut Prices

NEW YORK, March 25—(AP)—Admission price reductions ranging from 10 to 35 cents have been made by six first-run Broadway movie houses to help bolster sagging morning and matinee attendance.

Slighter lowering of night price scales also has gone into effect.

No cuts have been made, however, in week-end and holiday prices.

CORRECTION!

In our advertisement which appeared in The Democrat Thursday evening, Capital Friday morning, the following offer was incorrectly worded, and appear correctly below:

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Two Men Kill Kansas Citian, Escape in Car

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holder in the Hillcrest Country club, where he once served as the golf pro. He also held considerable real estate, had some interest in a wholesale liquor business and, until six months ago, operated a retail refrigerator company.

He was one of six incorporators of a music firm that employs a song writer and promotes songs.

Rimann was married and had a 20-year-old son.

The motor of the murder car still was hot when police found it abandoned in the northeast residential section 34 blocks from the shooting scene. Lack of water in the radiator led to the theory the killers were forced to abandon the car.

But another theory gained greater credence at police headquarters . . . that was the car deliberately was sacrificed and that the killers had another man waiting for them where they abandoned the car.

Combed Neighborhood

This caused police to comb the neighborhood today in an attempt to locate someone who had seen the transfer. Several witnesses at the murder scene said they believed a second car had followed the murder car.

The murder plot nearly was foiled by chance it was learned today. The slaying certainly was delayed a few minutes.

A. J. Stephens, president of a stores fixture concern where Rimann had been before he stepped out to his death, told this story:

"Wolf came in and was talking to J. C. Cantrell, vice-president, whose office adjoins mine, about having some chairs reupholstered for the club. I came in and neither one of them knew I was in my office.

Murder Delayed

"Presently Cantrell came in my office and said Wolf Rimann just is leaving, don't you want to say hello to him?"

"I said, 'Sure call the old rooster back.'

"Cantrell went to the door and by that time Wolf already was in his car and, as a matter of fact, had the key in the ignition.

"Cantrell called him back in and he left the car and almost ran into the building. I told him I wanted to show him a shuffleboard we are making and he said he had never handled shuffleboards before, although several people had told him he should.

"He said to send one out to the club, then told me not to send either the chairs he had ordered or the shuffleboard until I received a call from him this morning; that he had to clear the transaction with his directors.

In A Wonderful Mood

"He was in a wonderful mood, as peppy as could be, obviously with no idea that he was walking from the plant to be killed."

A search was underway for a young woman reported to have been seen driving with Rimann shortly before he left the Stephens company.

As detectives investigated Rimann's numerous business activities the case became increasingly difficult. The police and sheriff's office said they had received information that Rimann was "behind" the appearance of slot machines in Kansas City and Jackson county a month ago.

Dying Wish For Cotton Candy Granted

COLUMBUS, Ga., March 25.—(AP)—Annie Rose Robinson, who got her dying wish for cotton candy, died last night.

Persons throughout Georgia responded when the seven-year-old victim of leukemia made the request last week. Doctors had given her only 24 hours to live. None of the candy was available here.

By her bed when she died was a potted plant decorated with $100 in bills and checks. The money was the gift from schoolmates to buy all the fluffy confection she wanted.

Good Word for Dog Catcher

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 25—(AP)—A good word for the dog catcher came today from Miss Marie French, secretary of the Humane Society.

She reported that Lem Viar, public impounder, sat up all night in a vain effort to save the life of a sick, abandoned puppy about three months old.

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Mercury Peak In Tampa, Fla.

CHICAGO, March 25 — (AP) — Snow, rain and wind storms swept over north central states today.

The snow storm moved from the central Rockies and spread over the Dakotas, northwestern Nebraska and northern Minnesota. There were eight inches of snow on the ground at Sidney, Neb., and four inches at Velentine, Neb.

Winds of 30 to 40 miles per hour accompanied the snowstorm in eastern North Dakota and northern Minnesota. Temperatures in the snow belt were around freezing.

Showers and thunderstorms were reported over a wide area—the middle and lower Mississippi valleys, the Ohio river valley and the upper Great Lakes region. Memphis, Tenn., reported a rainfall of 1.38 inches.

The weather continued mild in the south and middle Atlantic states and fair to cool from the southern plains to California. Maine reported the coolest temperatures, in the low 20's. The mercury climbed to 91 at Tampa, Fla., yesterday, the nation's top mark.

Court Order Is Set Aside

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 25.—(AP)—Federal Judge Charles G. Briggle today set aside his contempt of court finding against Robert L. Knetzer, bankrupt Edwardsville automobile dealer.

The judge announced his decision after conferring with Attorneys in the creditors' hearing on the bankruptcy proceedings.

Judge Briggle yesterday found Knetzer in contempt after he declined to testify about a contract drawn by lawyers last September. The car dealer refused to give details of the contract and the parties involved.

In reversing his ruling today, Judge Briggle said he had been advised by the attorneys there is nothing in the contract that would help uncover any assets Knetzer may have.

Knetzer and his bankrupt associate, Arthur F. Kramer, of Jerseyville, have been indicted for conspiracy to defraud and obtaining money under false pretenses.

The charges grew out of their fabulous business of selling cars at list prices or less. Kramer ran his end of the dealings from an alfalfa field near his home.

No Final Rites On Pension Bill

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—Some lawmakers declined today to pronounce final rites over veterans' pensions, despite the death blow administered yesterday to the multi-billion dollar Rankin bill.

By a wobbly one-vote margin, the house voted to send the amendment-riddled bill, offered by Rep. Rankin (D-Miss), back to the veterans committee for "further consideration." This usually means the end of action.

Administration leaders, who had opposed the bill as being too expensive, were delighter with their slender victory. President Truman told his news conference the House vote was a constructive, forward looking step, which made him exceedingly happy.

Coal Mines 38 Years Ago Are Recovered

GOLDEN CITY, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—Coal mined 38 years ago finally reached the market here this week.

It was sold by Freeman Davis, who told this story:

In 1910 he and his men were digging coal northeast of here. One night they left some 12 tons of coal along with their tools in a "room" of the diggings. When they returned next morning the roof had caved in. Rather than dig the hole out, they began mining at another spot.

This week Davis decided to recover the buried coal. Along with the fuel he found the tools that had been abandoned.

Training Plans For C.A.P. in Operation

The local chapter of the C.A.P. met at 7:00 o'clock Wednesday evening at the high school. The club is now organized and the training plans are now in operation. Membership is open to boys 15-17, who would be cadets, and to anyone 18 and over who would be the senior members. A ham radio operator would prove to be an asset to the club. Any ham interested should contact Harry Trotman.

New Registration Is Very Light

Saturday is the last day for voters of Sedalia, whose names are not on the registration books, to have them placed there before the city election April 5.

Women in charge of the books, who have established headquarters in the City Hall building, stated today the new registration, or change of addresses is very light.

The women will be at their post of duty until 8:00 o'clock tonight and Saturday from 8:00 a. m. until 8:00 p. m.

Slugged By Hitch-Hikers

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—Donald Martin, 26, was recovering today after being slugged by two hitch-hikers as he was walking to his home in the north part of the city last night. He said his assailants took about $25 from him. He was found in an unconscious condition by U. S. forest service employes two hours later and taken to a hospital.

Democrat Class Ads get results!

Personals

Miss Eula Burcham, of Manitou Springs, Colo., who spent the past week visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Robert Ramsey, and daughter, 1101 South Ohio avenue, left today for Springfield and will then return to her home in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamlin and children, of San Diego, Cal., are here for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Ida Hamlin, 1020 East Fifth street, and his brother, Ralph Hamlin, 1010 Crescent Drive.

Miss Madeline Marshall, 1402 South Stewart avenue, left this morning for Mattoon, Ill., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. King Hyatt, Mr. Hyatt and daughter, Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed, of Kansas City, former Sedalians, spent last week end with Mrs. Reed's mother, Mrs. Alice Johnson, 2313 East Tenth street.

Pearl and Rose Ridenour of Centerview, arrived this morning for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Charles Lindsey, 312 North Grand avenue.

Arthur Anton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anton, 2510 East Broadway, is spending the week end with his parents. Arthur is a student of Rockhurst college in Kansas City.

Charles "Buddy" Bolton, a student of C.M.S.C. at Warrensburg, is spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bolton, 400 West Fourth street.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradford, of Rochester, N. Y., will arrive Saturday from New Orleans where Dr. Bradford, a faculty member at the University of Rochester, lectured at a medical meeting. They will visit Dr. Bradford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford, Route 3, Sedalia. Mr. and Mrs. Bradford also have as their guests their daughter, Mrs. R. M. James and son, Richard, of Mansfield, who will return home Sunday. While in Missouri Dr. and Mrs. Bradford will visit Mrs. Bradford's father, F. A. Dalton and sister, Mrs. Mary Dalton Newell, and Dr. Bradford's brother, Dr. O. F. Bradford in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Woodsmall and son, Richard, of 1813 South Barrett avenue, will spend the week-end at Hale, Mo.

Mrs. Ed Walter arrived at her home, 903 South Monroe avenue, Friday, from Tucson, Ariz., where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Paul Renfro, and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Renfro, of Mesa, Ariz. She also visited in Nogales, Old Mexico.

Miss Betty Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Okee Rice, Fifth street and Lamine avenue, arrived in Sedalia to spend the week end. She is a student at Stephens college, in Columbia. Mrs. Rice drove to Columbia to bring her daughter back.

Mr. and Mrs. James Labahn, Route One, Sedalia, visited in Kansas City Thursday with Judge Ed Callis, who is in the Research hospital.

Herman Bloess, 1409 West Broadway, left for Fort Worth, Tex., to join Mrs. Bloess, who has been visiting there for the past two weeks.

Roger Englert, who attends the University of Missouri in Columbia, is spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Berry and daughter, Miss Virginia Berry, 1710 West Eleventh street.

Brothers Into Bankruptcy

ST. LOUIS, March 25—(AP)—Michael R. Marion, sentenced to five years in prison Wednesday, and his brother, William W. Marion, filed bankruptcy schedules in federal district court here yesterday.

The brothers said in the schedules they lost large sums gambling in East St. Louis and Venice, Ill., casinos. They listed debts totaling more than $40,000. Creditors instituted bankruptcy proceedings against them last Jan. 14.

Michael Marion was sentenced at Moberly, Mo., on his plea of guilty to a charge of disposing of stolen automobiles through fake titles. His brother is held in the Boone county jail at Columbia awaiting trial there on a similar charge.

Snatches Purse From Blind Woman

CHICAGO, March 25 — (AP) — Mrs. Elizabeth Zinnerlin, 52, tapped her white cane at the curb of the busy intersection of Halsted street and Clybourn avenue.

A young man approached and offered to help the blind woman across the street. As they reached the opposite curb, Mrs. Zinnerlin told Hudson avenue police, the courteous stranger snatched her purse and fled.

The purse contained $7 and a special watch which enables Mrs. Zinnerlin to tell time, she told police.

Short Entertains Eight Joplin Youths

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—Rep. Short (R-Mo) was host at a luncheon yesterday for eight high school youths, members of the Joplin, Mo., Kiwanis "Key" club.

The boys were Pat Robertson, Richard E. Johnson, Murray Claycomb, Bruce Cofer, Bill Cearnal, Fred Cash, Bill Quigg and George Gillie. They are here for an international convention of the club.

V. F. W. Meets Monday Night

Post 5741, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will meet Monday night at 8:00 o'clock at its hall, 114½ East Third street, at which time election of officers will he held.

The business meeting will be followed by a social session.

Beer License Granted

A license was granted to Jack Alpert, to sell 3-2 beer at the premises of the Griddle, 110 East Fifth street in the County Court this afternoon, to expire April 1, 1950.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Jane Buford

Mrs. Jane Buford, aged 68 years, widow of the late Frank B. Buford, died Thursday afternoon at her home, 211 West Tenth street.

Mrs. Buford was born near Joplin, Mo., in 1881 and was married to Frank B. Buford on February 14, 1897. He died in Sedalia Feb. 14, 1947.

She had lived in this community for a period of thirteen years. Mrs. Buford was a member of the First Baptist church and also of Sedalia chapter, No. 57, Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by three sons, Elmo Buford, Boonville, Frank Buford, Kansas City, and Marvin Buford of the home, also by four grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at the Gillespie funeral home Saturday morning at 10 o'clock with the Rev. T. W. Croxton officiating.

Mrs. Miles Rhodes and Mrs. Charles Farley accompanied by Mrs¼ B. B. Bess will sing.

Burial will be made at Nelson, Mo.

Cleo M. Ratje Service

Funeral services for Seaman 1/c Cleo M. Ratje, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ratje of Buckner, Mo., who was killed in the Pacific near Okinawa, April 12, 1945, will be held at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church in Smithton. Dr. W. L. Perryman of Marshall will be in charge.

The American Legion Post of Sedalia will be in charge of services at the grave.

Pallbearers will be Marshall Ray Haley, Glenn Eichorn, Paul Schlotzhauer, Eugene Schlotzhauer, Leroy Stegner and Henry Stegner.

Interment will be in the Smithton cemetery.

Seaman 1/c Ratje was born April 15, 1924 at Florence, Mo., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ratje of Buckner, Mo. He had been a resident of Pilot Grove three years before his induction into service. He was a member of the Methodist church.

He is survived by his parents, one brother, Herbert, of Buckner, one sister, Mrs. Paul Mark of Tokyo, Japan.

The body is at the Hayes-Painter funeral home in Pilot Grove.

George J. Goff Service

Funeral services for George Jake Goff, 60, of 642 East Third street, who died at his home early Wednesday morning, were held at the McLaughlin funeral chapel at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. S. K. Mabry in charge.

Pallbearers were: James Shull, H. Cook, William Toliver, S. B. Avery, C. Walker and Orvil Quigley.

Mrs. S. K. Mabry and Mrs. Evelyn Worlledge sang, "In The Garden," and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus," accompanied at the organ by Mrs. C. D. Demand.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret Corley Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Alice Corley, 85, who died early Thursday morning at her home, Route 2, Sedalia, were held at the Gillespie funeral home at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. Carl Opp in charge.

Mrs. M. O. Stevens and Mrs. Carl Opp, accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser, sang, "Precious Memories," "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be" and "In the Sweet By and By."

Pallbearers were: G. E. Allcorn, Dewey Bohon, Ernest Stevens, August Hamlett, Olliver Garrett, Ellis Garrett.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. G. G. Thedick Service

Graveside services for Mrs. G. G. Thedick, who died at her home in Yermo, Calif., after several months illness, will be held at 11:15 o'clock Saturday morning at the Calvary cemetery conducted by Father A. J. Brunswick.

The body will arrive in Sedalia at 3:20 o'clock Saturday morning and will be taken to the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

The rosary will be recited at 10:30 o'clock at the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

Pallbearers will be: Fred Brink, Frank Mehl, Nelson Hanpeter, C. E. Carroll, J. E. Coates.

Paul V. Pruess

Paul V. Pruess, 50, of Junction City, Ore., died March 20 in Portland, Ore.

Mr. Pruess was born September 8, 1898 in Smithton.

He is survived by his widow, Ruth, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Eleanor Steel, of Eugene, Ore., Miss Paula Pruess, of the home; one son, Donald, of Vancouver, Wash.; one sister, Mrs. Stella Peterson, of Walkerville, Mont., two brothers, Albert, Whitefish, Mont.; Emil, of Fargo, N. D.

Funeral services were held at the Miller-Sherman funeral home in Junction City, at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon with the Rev. A. E. Davis incharge.

Interment was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery in Junction City.

Mr. Preuss is also survived by a number of relatives of near Sedalia.

Cyrus D. Ferguson

Funeral services for Cyrus Delmar Ferguson, 58, who was burned to death Wednesday, while firing a field on his farm near Tipton, were held at the Methodist church in Tipton, at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

The body of Mr. Ferguson was found by his brother-in-law. Dr. Kenyon Latham of California, coroner, called the death accidental.

Surviving Mr. Ferguson are his wife and several children.

Granted A Divorce

Mrs. Grace C. Haley was granted a divorce in circuit court, Wednesday, from her husband, James J. Haley, and was also awarded the custody of three minor children.

Heart Stopped For 40 Minutes

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—Two surgeons announced today revival of a 16-year-old youth 40 minutes after his heart action stopped completely.

An American Medical Association source said he believed the instance was the longest known heart stoppage on record to be followed by successful resuscitation.

Reporting in the AMA Journal, Dr. Arthur S. Touroff and Dr. Milton H. Adelman, said the youth's heart failed during a lung operation in Mt. Sinai hospital, New York, Jan. 16, 1948.

Dr. Touroff immediately began to massage the heart with his hands. Adrenalin and blood were given to the patient. Artificial respiration was maintained with 100 per cent oxygen administered through the anesthetic apparatus.

During the long period of heart failure, the doctors said, the patient breathed in gasps at irregular intervals, but when heart massage was stopped for an instant there were only a few feeble, ineffectual contractions noticed. A strong heart beat was resumed unexpectedly.

New Evidence In Murder Case

FARMINGTON, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—An assistant prosecutor said today he believes Mrs. William C. Mahurin was smothered to death. A special grand jury is to get the case next Thursday.

Mrs. Mahurin, 46, died March 17. She had suffered severe burns, and her body was found in front of her new farm home near here. Her husband said the kitchen stove had exploded, but a state test of the stove did not bear that out, and now Mahurin has been charged with murder.

W. E. Coffer, assistant prosecuting attorney, said he believes Mrs. Mahurin was not fatally burned, but was smothered.

Coffer's chief, B. C. Tomlinson, filed the charge yesterday and asked for the special grand jury, but he would not discuss certain "new evidence."

A doctor who made a laboratory test of Mrs. Mahurin's body said he "found something" but wouldn't say what.

Tornado Kills Five Negroes

GREENVILLE, Miss., March 25.—(AP)—A tornado smacked through a plantation area late last night, killing five Negroes and injuring 20 others.

Two of the injured were reported by hospital authorities here to be in critical condition.

The big wind thundered into the Lake Jackson area first, skipped two miles across the river and hit again around Lake Washington. Eight homes were destroyed.

So remote was the stricken area from hard surface roads that teams of horses had to be used to rescue the injured and recover the dead in one instance.

News of the tornado arrived with the first victims around 3 a. m., who checked in at the Greenville City colored hospital. They said the tornado struck before midnight.

The Lake Washington area is 30 miles north of Greenville.

Donnell Slowed Senate Approval

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Senator Donnell (R-Mo) told the Senate today that leaders of European nations regard the North Atlantic pact as a moral—if not automatic — pledge by the United States to go to war if any of them are attacked.

Donnell slowed expected Senate approval of a $5,580,000,000 foreign aid authorization bill for a lengthy discussion of the defense pact. It is not yet before the Senate.

He repeated earlier demands that every senator be allowed to participate fully in both open and closed sessions of the Senate foreign relations committee on the post-war defense treaty aimed at Soviet Russia.

Woman With 217 Descendants is Dead

BENTONVILLE, Ark., March 25 —(AP)— A woman with 271 descendants died at her home here yesterday. She was Mrs. Sarah Sarvila Stipp Barnes, 97.

Her survivors include eight children, 46 grandchildren, 108 great-grandchildren, 106 great-great grandchildren and three great-great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Barnes moved to Benton county, Arkansas, from her native Missouri in 1880.

Missouri Projects Included

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—A bill now before the House includes $125,000 for further planning of the Table Rock dam and reservoir and $8,000 for plans for the Carthage project in Missouri.

Rep. Short(R-Mo) said an appropriation committee had allowed nothing to start construction as was requested by a delegation from Springfield, Mo.

"I guess we were lucky to get the money for planning," Short said.

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The Markets

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 5,000; market steady to 25 cents higher both butchers and sows; most advance on uniform butchers under 270 pounds, but trade rather slow on the advance; top $21.65; part load $21.75; most good and choice 160 to 240 pounds $21.00 to $21.50; 250 to 270 pounds $20.25 to $21.00; 280 to 310 pounds $19.50 to $20.25; few 320 to 375 pounds $18.50 to $19.25; good and choice sows under 400 pounds $17.50 to $18.25; 425 to 500 pounds $16.25 to $17.25; 525 to 600 pounds $15.25 to $16.25; odd head heavier around $15.00. Good clearance.

Cattle 1,000; calves 300; slow, steady to weak; choice steers and heifers absent; medium and good steers and mixed yearlings $22.00 to $25.50; several loads good 775 to 900 pound heifers $24.00 and $24.25 most beef cows $16.75 to $20.00; odd head good cows up to $20.50; canners and cutters $15.00 to $16.50; medium and good sausage bulls $20.00 to $22.00; practical top vealers $29.00; odd choice vealers $30.00; few good 650 to 920 pound feeding steers $23.00 to $24.00.

Sheep 300; no loads offered and not enough lambs even in odd lots to make a market; few odd sales common to good natives $23.00 to $29.00; fully steady; general undertone both lambs and sheep steady with week's advance; medium to choice ewes $11.00 to $14.25.

St. Louis Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., March 25—(AP)—Hogs 7,000; weights 180 pounds up steady to 25 cents lower than Thursday's average; lighter weights fully steady to strong; sows strong to 25 cents higher; bulk good and choice 180 to 230 pounds $21.00 to $21.25; top $21.50 for one load; 240 to 300 pounds $19.75 to $21.00; 140 to 170 pounds $19.50 to $21.00; 100 to 130 pounds $15.50 to $19.00; mostly $16.00 up; good sows 400 pounds down $17.75 to $18.75; over 400 pounds $15.75 to $17.25; stags $12.50 to $14.50.

Cattle 800; calves 500; prices fully steady to strong in active cleanup trade; few medium to good lightweight steers and heifers $22.50 to $24.00; common and medium cows largely $17.00 to $18.25; odd head good to $19.00 and above; canners and cutters $14.00 to $16.50; medium and good bulls $20.50 to $21.50; cutters and common bulls $17.50 to $20.00; vealers steady; good and choice $27.00 to $33.00; common and medium $21.00 to $26.00.

Sheep 200; active at fully steady prices; no top quality wooled lambs present; few merely lots $29.00 to $29.50; deck good to choice 84 pound clipped lambs $29.00; scattered sales cull to medium slaughter ewes $10.00 to $12.00.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, March 25 — (AP) — (USDA)—Cattle 300; calves 100; virtually no fed steers or heifers offered; trade on limited supply of other classes rather slow and indifferent at steady to weak prices.

Hogs 1,000; slow, steady to 25 cents lower, mostly steady with Thursday's average; top $21.50 to all; good and choice 180 to 250 pounds $21.00 to $21.50; 260 to 360 pounds $19.50 to $21.00; sows steady at $16.50 to $18.00; stags $15.50 down.

Sheep 100; not enough on sale to test values; killing classes nominally steady.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—(USDA)—Live poultry: steady; receipts 11 trucks; prices unchanged to 1 cent lower.

FOB: Fowl 42c; Leghorn fowl 33c to 34c; roasters 36c to 38c; fryers 33c to 35c; broilers 31c to 32c; old roosters 25c to 26c; FOB wholesale market: ducklings 40c.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, March 25 — (AP) — Butter steady; receipts 703,314; prices unchanged. 93 score AA, 59.5c; 92 A, 59.5c; easier; receipts 789,489; prices ½ cent lower: 93 score AA 59.5c; 92 A, 59.5c; Eggs firm; receipts 10,749; prices unchanged to 1 cent a dozen higher; U. S. extras 70 per cent and up A, 45c; 60 to 69 per cent A, 44c; U. S. standards 41c to 43.5c; current receipts 41c; dirties 38.5c; checks 38.

St Louis Produce and Poultry

ST. LOUIS, March 25—(AP)—Produce and live poultry:

Eggs: Extras 43c to 45c; standards 41c to 43c; current receipts 39c to 39½c; underweights 35c to 37c.

Butter: 92 score 59½c to 61c; 90 score 58½c, 89 score 58c.

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Butterfat: No. 1 55c per pound in country stations; No. 2 three cents less.

Cheese: Twins 32¼c; cheddars 34½c; flats 32¾c; singles 32¾c; daisies 34½c; longhorns 34¼c; process (5 pound loaf) 33¼c; nearby cheese one cent less.

59½c; 89 score 58½c.

Poultry: Fowl, heavy breeds 36c; Leghorn 31c; commercial fryers broilers and roasters, whites 32½c to 33½c; greys 33c; reds 33c; nearby farm raised fryers, broilers and roasters, whites 32c; colored 31c; whites 2 pounds and under 30c; colored 2 pounds and under 29c; barebacks 20c; No. 2 springs 15c; roosters, old cocks 22½c to 23c; stags 25c; ducks, young 40c; old 30c; muscovy 25c; geese 30c, capons 7 pounds and up 55c small 50c; slips 45c; turkeys, young hens 32c; young toms 45c; old hens 45c; old toms 36c; No. 2 turkeys 12c to 18c.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, March 25—(AP)—Produce:

Eggs: Extras 43c to 45c; standards 40c to 41c; current receipts 40c.

Butter: Grade A, pounds in cartons 65.5c; grade A pounds in cartons 66c. Butterfat: 53c to 56c.

Chicago Grain Futures

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Fri.	Close Thurs.
WHEAT—				
Mar	2.16½	2.13⅝	2.15⅞	2.14¼
July	1.92	1.90	1.91⅞	1.90½
Sept	1.91½	1.89½	1.91¼	1.89⅞
Dec	1.92¼	1.90½	1.92¼	1.90½
CORN—				
May	1.33½	1.31¾	1.33	1.31⅞
July	1.32⅜	1.31	1.31⅛	1.31¼
Sept	1.25¼	1.24½	1.25	1.24½
Dec	1.14¼	1.13¼	1.14	1.13⅛
OATS—				
May	.69⅛	.68½	.69	.68⅝
July	.63⅜	.62½	.63¼	.62¾
Sept	.62⅜	.61⅝	.62⅝	.61⅞
Dec	.63½	.62⅞	.63⅛	.62¾
RYE—				
May	1.28¾	1.27½	1.28¾	1.27¾
July	1.27	1.26¼	1.27	1.26½
SOYBEANS—				
May	2.14½	2.11⅝	2.14¼	2.13½
July	2.08¾	2.05⅝	2.08¾	2.07¾

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—Wheat: No. 4 red tough $2.24½.

Corn: No. 2 yellow $1.38; No. 3 yellow $1.34¼ to $1.37; No. 4 yellow $1.28½ to $1.30; No. 5 yellow $1.22¾ to $1.26¼.

Oats: No. 1 heavy mixed 74¼c to 75¾c; sample grade heavy mixed 71½c; No. 1 heavy white 75¼c to 77c; No. 2 heavy white 77¾c; sample grade heavy white 72¼c.

Barley malting $1.08 to $1.42 nominal; feed 86c to $1.12 nominal.

Field seed per hundredweight nominal: sweet clover $15.00 to $16.00; timothy $16.50 to $17.00.

St. Louis Cash Grain

ST. LOUIS, March 25—(AP)—Cash grain: Wheat: Two cars, none sold.

Corn: 43 cars, sold six; No. 3 yellow $1.38 to $1.39¾; No. 4 yellow $1.38¾ to $1.39¼; No. 5 yellow $1.37¼.

Oats: Three cars, sold none.

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, March 25—(AP)—Wheat: 122 cars; 1 cent lower to 2¼ cents higher; No. 2 hard and dark hard $2.25 to $2.27; No. 3, $2.23 to $2.27; No. 2 red $2.23¼ to $2.30 nominal; No. 3, $2.22¼ to $2.29 nominal.

Corn: 23 cars unchanged to 1½ cent higher; No. 2 white $1.40¾; No. 3, $1.38½ to $1.39; No. 2 yellow $1.39½ to $1.40¾; No. 3, $1.36½.

Oats: 12 cars; ½ to 1 cent higher; No. 2 white 79c No. 3, 78c to 78½c nominal.

Milo maize $2.36 to $2.37.

Kafir $2.29 to $2.38.

Rye $1.30 to $1.34.

Barley $1.16.

Found Guilty in Gambling Case

CARTHAGE, Mo., March 25—(AP)—Two men arrested after a raid on the Carthage Athletic club today were found guilty in police court of keeping gambling equipment.

They were fined $150 each and costs, but immediately posted bond for an appeal to circuit court.

The defendants, Les Ulmer, Webb City, and Carl Epperson, Sarthage, were freed last Wednesday after a hearing in magistrate court on a state charge of setting up gambling equipment. Magistrate Nelson B. Evans held that evidence submitted by the state was insufficient to convict.

A hearing will be held in circuit court next Wednesday to determine if equipment seized in the raid should be destroyed.

Moves Insurance Office

The Watts Insurance Agency has recently moved in the same office with the C. W. Stephenson Real Estate Agency, located in the 100 block on East Fifth street.

J. W. Watts recently purchased the insurance agency which was acquired by Stephenson.

Leading Stocks At Close

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
American and For Power	1⅝	—
American Smelt and R.	48	48¼
American Tel. and Tel.	148⅝	148⅝
American Tobacco B	66	67⅛
Anacond	31½	31⅝
Atchison, T. and S. F.	92⅜	89⅛
Atlas Power	81½	80½
Aviation Corp.	6⅝	6⅝
Bethlehem Steel	31⅞	31⅛
Chrysler Corp.	53⅜	52⅛
Coca-Cola	136	135½
Curtis-Wright	9⅛	9⅛
Curtis-Wright A	21⅜	21⅛
Du Pont De Nu	187	187
Eastman Kodak	48⅝	48⅝
General Electric	38	37⅝
General Foods	42	42⅛
General Motors	80⅛	80⅝
International Harvester	34⅝	33⅝
International Shoe	—	42⅝
International Tel and Tel	9⅛	9⅜
Johns-Manville	37	37
Kennecott Corp.	46⅝	46⅝
Libby, McN and L.	8⅜	8
Liggett and Meyers B	82⅞	83⅛
Mid-Cont Petroleum	43¼	43⅝
Missouri-Kansas Texas	4¼	4⅜
Montgomery Ward	56⅝	57
Nash-Kelvinator	13⅜	13⅝
National Cash Register	—	34⅝
North American Co.	17⅝	17⅝
Packard Motors	3⅝	4
Pepsi-Cola	10¼	10⅜
Phillips Petroleum	59⅛	59⅛
Purity Baking	27	27
Radio Corp. of America	12⅝	12⅛
Raynolds Tobacco B	36⅜	36⅝
Sears Roebuck	37	37⅛
Skelly Oil	115	115
Southern Calif. Edison	30⅝	30
Standard Oil Indiana	40⅝	40
Studebaker Corporation	18⅝	18⅛
Swift and Co.	30⅝	30⅛
U S Steel	73⅛	72⅝

Leaders on the Curb

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
American Light and T.	23⅛	23⅝
Arkansas Nat Gas	7⅛	7⅛
Cessna Aircraft	—	—
Cities Service	43⅝	43
El Bond and Sh.	12⅝	12⅛
Ford Motor Canada A	—	18⅝
Ford Motor Ltd.	4⅛	—
Humble Oil	73⅝	73⅞
National Dallas Hem	3	3⅛
Piper Aircraft	3	—
Southern Royal	—	—
Standard Oil Ky.	—	20
Utah Idaho Sugar	3⅛	3⅛

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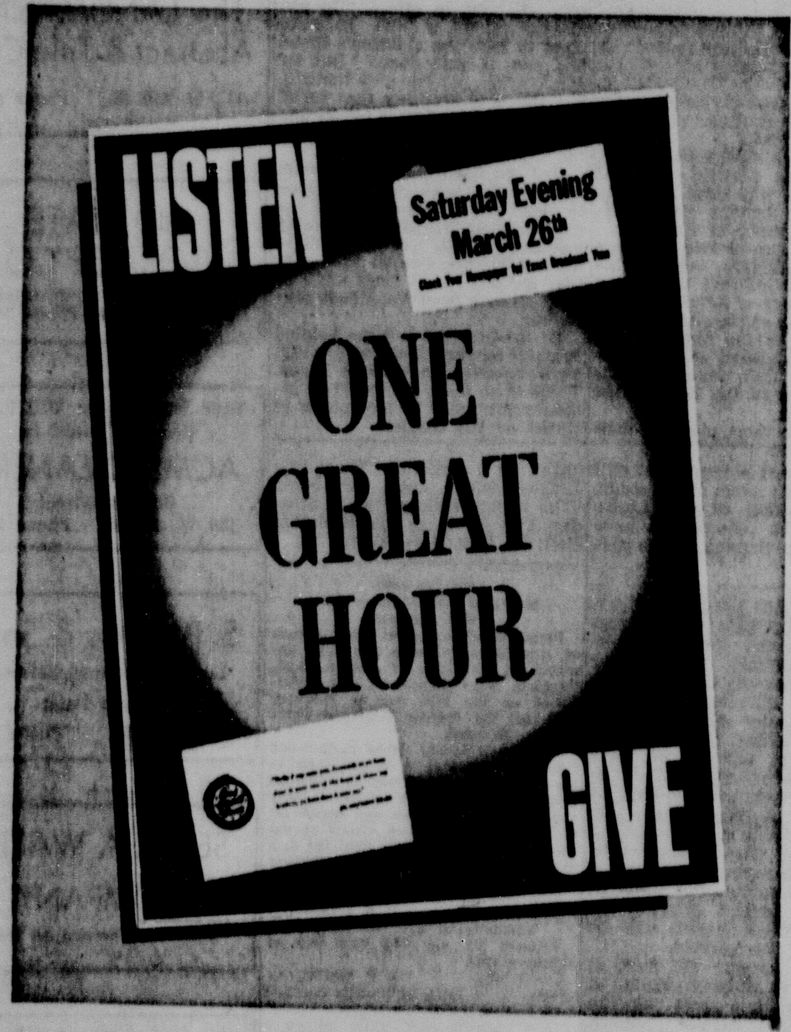

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Never before in history have so many different religious denominations and communions joined together in one great effort for one great cause. Up to now each denomination has developed its own campaign to send help—both material and spiritual—for distribution through churches overseas. In "One Great Hour" all of these campaigns are brought together in one supreme single effort.

It should be clearly understood that all contributions to "One Great Hour" are made directly to the churches here in America and distributed through churches and church organizations overseas. The urgent need for funds for the many works of the churches overseas are not lessened by large scale and essential government spending projects such as the European Recovery Program. No amount of impersonal government spending, can take the place of the gifts which, being given in the name of Christ through the church, recognize the significance and dignity of the individual human being.

What are the desperate needs that are met so economically and efficiently through churches overseas? The answer to that question is found in part in the pictures and stories at the bottom of this page. But, in addition to these important works there are also material needs which must be met through the churches. Despite good harvests and improved conditions in many parts of the world there are still vast numbers of men, women and children in Europe and Asia right now who are barely existing on near-starvation diets . . . wearing tattered odds and ends of clothing. Many of these people may die of starvation or disease . . . many may die as a result of cold and exposure added to malnutrition . . . unless they are helped quickly through the churches.

Food, clothing and medical supplies sent to war-devastated nations through church channels are distributed to the neediest in each community by local churches and church agencies. Whenever possible—children, young mothers and the sick receive special attention. These distribution methods make use of facilities now in existence and operate without profit or prejudice. They are efficient, economical and, most important of all, speedy.

All of the vitally important works of the churches overseas must be maintained and strengthened. And to do this *every member of every church* must bear his share of this responsibility to humanity . . . and bear it proudly in the spirit of Him who said: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Remember, *you* are the church in America—your response to these great appeals will help prove to all the world that it is only in God—and through worship of Him in the churches of America and overseas—that there lies any real hope of a stronger and happier world . . . world of blessed peace and human dignity.

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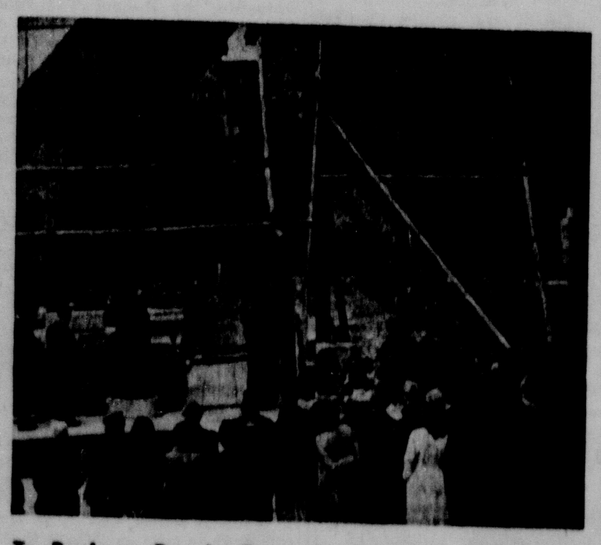
To Restore Christian Hope and Human Dignity to a Confused and Suffering World

Your contributions to ONE GREAT HOUR mean far more than their dollar-and-cents value. They bring a Christian hope to the war-scarred men, women and children of Europe and Asia. They tell them that someone in the world really cares what happens. The food and clothing we send overseas will keep the people alive, but without spiritual nourishment, people are lost. By rebuilding their morale, we can strengthen their desire to share once again the responsibilities of world citizenship. For only when all men can hold their heads high will the world be truly on the road to peace. The way lies open. And the world awaits our response.



To Replace, Repair, Re-equip Churches, Hospitals, Schools and Other Christian Institutions

There can be no true recovery from war until people regain their dignity as human beings. Food, clothing and material aids are of little use unless people have the desire and will to live. We can help them by helping to provide churches, homes for orphans and the aged, hospitals for the crippled and sick. Today, in Europe and Asia, the churches are not only houses of worship, but are also centers for fellowship, for varied ministries of material and spiritual help. But without our generous assistance, the people, with their depleted local resources, cannot reestablish these lighthouses of love in the midst of a sea of human misery.

To Strengthen and Expand the Vital Work of the Christian Ministry

The pastoral leaders were not spared the ravages of war. Many were killed, wounded, taken prisoner or forced into exile with other displaced persons. Theological schools were destroyed. Libraries were destroyed and faculties scattered. In the six years of war, several generations of spiritual leaders were lost to the churches. A strong ministry is needed to help rebuild Christian lives. It is our responsibility to help build this strong ministry—to supply religious literature of many kinds, to replenish libraries, to help re-establish services and to provide means of transportation to help pastoral leaders and lay-workers with far-flung responsibilities.

To Render Aid to Desperately Needy Refugees and Displaced Persons

Until all the homeless people have countries they can call their own, there will be no real peace in the world. In the meantime, they will look to us in more favored lands to help them. Homeless must not mean forgotten. In Germany, Italy, China and Palestine the churches of America have stayed with these refugees and displaced persons. They have been ministered to in body and soul. Because many of these people are our Christian brothers, the churches, with your help, will continue a vital ministry among them, help them to find homes and help to bring as many of them as possible to this country to begin life anew.

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CALVARY EPISCOPAL, Broadway at Ohio. Rev. W. L. Botkin, rector. Lent IV: 8:00 a. m. Holy Eucharist; 9:45 a. m. church school, Charles Hanna, superintendent. 11:00 a. m. Martins and sermon: "The Bread of Life." Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Evening devotions and Lenten meditation. Thursday 10:00 a. m. Holy Eucharist and Lenten Lifts to Life.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST, Fifth and Osage streets. H .U. Campbell, D. D., minister. Church school 9:30 a. m. Missionary day with all of the offering going to missions. Morning worship 10:30. Mrs. Mae Moser, organist, will play: "He Shall Feed His Flock" by Handel and "My Task" by Ashford. Anthem by the choir directed by Miss Geraldine Teufel. Vocal solo by Miss Josephine Wadleigh. Sermon by Rev. E. W. Bartley, district superintendent. Official Board and quarterly conference Monday evening 7:30. United mid-week Lenter services at the Congregational-Presbyterian church, Wednesday, March 30 at 7:30 p. m. with Rev. E. W. Bartley, preaching.

CALVARY BAPTIST, Broadway and Moniteau. H. L. Alley, pastor. Departmental Bible school 9:30 a. m. B. B. Bradley, superintendent; Ralph Reed(associate. Morning worship 10:45. Sermon by the pastor. Associational Training Union rally Sunday afternoon 2:30 with the Olive Branch church. B. T. U. 6:15 p. m. Mrs. E. H. Schumaker, director; Mrs. E. E. Swafford, associate. Evening worship 7:30. Sermon by the pastor. Training Union Officers Council Monday evening 7:30 with the executive committee meeting 7:15. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30; choir practice 8:30. W. M. U. quarterly business meeting Thursday evening 7:30. This evening closes the Training Union study course which has been in session this week with Mrs. B. B. Bradley teaching the adults; Mrs. E. E. Swafford the intermediates; Mrs. Ruth Dangston the juniors and B. B. Bradley the young people. Plans are being made for the revival meeting which is to begin Easter Sunday.

WOODWILL CIRCUIT, METHODIST: Rev. Carl Opp, pastor. Goodwill chapel, March 27: Church school 10:00 a. m. Divine worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon, choir, children's talk. Youth Fellowship 7:30 p. m. Divine worship 8:00 p. m. Sermon, choir. Church school sessions will also be held at the following points on March 27 at 10:00 a. m.: Pleasant Hill, Dresden and New Bethel.

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth and Osage. J. F. King, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Glenn Stewart, superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon subject: "The Continuity of Faith." Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:00 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon subject: "Christ's Welcome to Sinners."

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN, Broadway and Kentucky. Rev. D. Warren Neal, minister. Gordon Callis, Sunday school, superintendent; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, choir director; Miss Dorothy Ann Reed, organist. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Service of worship, 10:45 a. m. Sermon: "Nice Little People." Anthems: "Seek Ye the Lord" Roberts, "O, For a Closer Walk With God" Anderson. Sunday night Lenten sermon, "Simon, the Syrenian," at 7:30. A sacrificial meal will be served in the Service building immediately after Sunday morning church services. Westminster Youth Fellowship, Sunday night 6:30. Sunday school teachers and officers will meet at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, March 29, in the Service building. Junior High Youth Fellowship meeting, Friday 4:00 p. m. Communion service will be held on Palm Sunday and on the night of Maundy Thursday. New members will be received around Easter time.

FIRST CHRISTIAN, Seventh Massachusetts. Rev, L. Ward McCreary, guest minister; Mrs. H. O. Foraker, organist, director. Bible school 9:30. Virgil Herrick, superintendent. Morning worship and communion 10:40. Subject of sermon: "Finding My Brother." James Dittmer will be the soloist, singing, "My Task" Ashford. The anthem, "If Christ Should Come." Mrs. Shelby Hunter and Mrs. Keith Zahringer in the solo parts.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD, Sixth and Emmett street. Rev. Colbert Martin, pastor Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Evangelistic service 7:45 p. m. Our services Wednesday night 7:45 p. m. are P. Y. P. A. or young people's service.

HOSTONIA METHODIST: Sunday school 10:00 o'clock. Walter Werneke, superintendent. Church services 11:00 o'clock. Irwin Raut, lay pastor.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENCE, Sixth street and Lamine avenue. Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m. for persons under the age of 20. Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock. "Reality" is the subject of the lesson sermon. Golden text: Philippians 4:8, "Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lively, whatsoever things are of good report; If there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things." Wednesday evening testimonial meetings at 8:00 o'clock. The reading room is located at the same building. Entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2 to 4 except Sundays and holidays. Also after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible and the writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at the room. The public is welcome to attend all of our services and to enjoy the privileges of our reading room.

FIRST BAPTIST, Sixth and Lamine streets. Thomas W. Croxton, pastor; E. Norman Webb, assistant pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. W. L. Reed, superintendent. Departments and classes for all ages. Morning worship 10:45 with preaching by the pastor on the subject, "The Great Objective." Special music by the Chancel choir led by E. Norman Webb with Mrs. Clyde Williams at the organ. Training Union 6:15 p. m. William A. Morgan, general director. Departments for all ages Evening worship 7:30 with preaching by the pastor on the subject: "The Closed Door." The service will be followed by the ordinance of baptism performed by Rev. John B. Rollins.

FIRST BAPTIST CHAPEL, Sixteenth and Hancock streets. Donald Momberg, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Clyde Williams, superintendent. Departments for all ages. Morning worship 10:45 with preaching by the pastor. Training Union 6:30 p. m. Palmer Nichols, general director. Departments for all ages. Evening worship 7:30 with preaching by the pastor. Mid-week worship Thursday evening at 7:30.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod) Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Rev. Walter F. Strickert, pastor; Miss Mildred Brackmann, organist. William Bergmann, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:15 a. m. Divine service with celebration of Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. The pastor's sermon topic will be: "Let's Face Realities." The fifth mid-week Lenten service will be held next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST, 1019 East Fifth. Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor. Sunday school 9:30. Clyde L. Waters, superintendent. Morning worship service 10:30. Pastor's theme: "The Five R's of Real Repentance." Associational Training Union meeting at Olive Branch Baptist church at 2:30 p. m. Cars will leave East Sedalia Baptist church at 2 o'clock sharp. Training Union 6:15. Orville H. Lampton, director. Evening service 7:30. Pastor's theme, "The Doom of the Unrepentant." Singspiration 9:15 at the church. Monday 6:30 p. m. Sunday school cabinet meeting and supper. Tuesday, 9:30 a. m. all 1949 Vacation Bible school workers meeting at the church; 7:15 p. m. Training Union Executive committee; 7:45 p. m. Training Union business and program planning meeting. Wednesday 6:30 p. m. Junior R. A's meet at the church; 6:45 youth choir practice; 7:30 prayer meeting; 8:30 adult choir practice. Friday, 6:30 p. m. the Sedalia division of the Business Women's Circle Federation will meet at this church with contributive covered dish lunch, followed by program with inspirational speaker.

PACIFIC HEIGHTS BAPTIST MISSION, 2219 East Broadway. Rev. William C. Smith, pastor. Sunday school 9:30. Mrs. Bert Farley, superintendent. Morning worship service 10:30. Training Union 6:15. Cecil Smith, director. Evening service 7:30. Friday 7:45 p. m. prayer meeting.

EPWORTH METHODIST, Broadway at Engineer street. Ralph Hurd, the minister, Church school at 9:30. O. R. Cox, general superintendent. The minister is teaching a membership training class at the study period, giving general instruction for church membership. At the adult assembly Miss Suzanne Holst will play a piano solo. Morning worship at 10:30. Miss Jean Harrell will be at the organ. The minister's sermon theme, "Weather-wise But Time-foolish." Youth Fellowship at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30, Miss Joan Harrell at the organ. The minister will bring the evening message. Thursday evening at 7:30, our mid-week service.

"By humility and the fear of the Lord are riches, and honour, and life."—(Proverbs 22:4).

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
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Gluttony

Lent is always a good time to talk about gluttony. The Bible speaks of those "whose god is their belly and whose glory is their shame." Gluttony is one of the cardinal vices It is one of the sins to which even the most morally delinquent would be ashamed to plead guilty.

The word gluttony has an ugly, almost obscene sound. It brings to bind a drunkard lying inert and senseless in the gutter. It recalls the pagans of ancient Rome who gorged themselves at rich banquets, and when stomachs could hold no more, sought relief—and room for more food—by enforced vomiting.

Gluttony will destroy the soul if allowed to assume extreme proportions. Fortunately, only a comparatively few individuals seem to be subject to its grosser temptations. On the other hand, many persons are thwarted in their quest for higher spiritual achievement by their susceptibility to what may be called the "lesser" gluttonies.

Who has not known the gluttons for admiration and flattery—the girl at the party who craves more than her fair share of attention, the boy on the playing field who wants to hog the spotlight? Or the fashion-mad woman with an insatiable yearning for new clothes? Or the ambitious politician whose secret vice is the lust for power and influence?

Gluttony is the rejection of moderation for complete and utter abandonment to selfish appetites or desires. History attests to the incalculable cost in human life and suffering entailed by the demands of master-gluttons. What is not written on history's records is the secret toll taken by gluttony in the souls of even the lesser-gluttons.

Lent is the season when we should analyze our weaknesses and begin to cultivate new habits of temperance and higher-plane living. If gluttony has taken root in us, this is the time for resorting to prayer and self-mortification. Otherwise, some day the appetites we let grow unchecked may devour us entirely, mind, body and soul.

Go To Church This Sunday

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CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, Seventeenth and Harrison E S Brummet pastor Sunday school 10:00 a m Morning service 11:00. Evening service 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"REALITY" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 27, 1949.

Golden Text: Phil. 4:8.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For the word of the Lord is right; and all his works are done in truth. He loveth righteousness and judgment: the earth is full of the goodness of the Lord." (Ps. 33:4, 5) The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The spiritual reality is the scientific fact in all things. The spiritual fact, repeated in the action of man and the whole universe, is harmonious and is the ideal of Truth." (p. 207)

FREE METHODIST — 13th and Marvin. Rev. Jesse A. Himes. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Young peoples service 7 p. m. Evening worship 7:45 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

ST PATRICK'S, Fourth and Washington. Father T J Nolan, pastor Sunday masses 6:00, 8:00 and 10:00 a m Holy Day masses 6:00, 7:30 and 9:00 a. m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST Eleventh and Lafayette. Services every Saturday morning Sabbath school at 9:45 and church at 11

SACRED HEART, Third street and Moniteau avenue. Father A J Brunswick, pastor Sunday masses 6:00, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a m Weekly masses 6:15 and 7:30 a. m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS: 517 South Lafayette Sunday school 10 a. m. Missionary meet 7 p m Sacrament and preaching 7:30 p. m. K. B. Rowlette, branch president.

EAST BROADWAY CHRISTIAN, 1220 East Broadway. Rev. J. W. Watts, pastor; W. H. Swift, superintendent of Bible school; Miss Catherine Garman, pianist. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship and communion 10:45. Subject of lesson, "Magnificent Reminders." Sunday afternoon the junior choir will practice at 3 p. m. On Sunday evening at 7:30 there will be a service at the church. Colored picture films will be shown. The name of the study, "The Institution of the Lord's Supper." The choirs will have special music. Sermon by the pastor.

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (ULCA) Tenth street at Osage avenue. Rev. C. Arthur Freeberg, pastor; Mrs. Elmer Fingland, organist; Leonard Englund, choir director; Elmer E. Sterling, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school classes will meet at 9:30 a. m. with classes for every age group. The worship service will be held at 10:45 a. m. A special feature of this service will be the showing of the sound film, "Answer For Anne" which portrays the work of the church in aiding the people of Europe. A special offering for Lutheran World Action will be received at this service.
The Luther League will meet at the church on Sunday evening at 7:30. Lenten mid-week worship services will be held Wednesday, March 30 at 8 p. m. The pastor's sermon topic will be, "With Jeus in the High Priest's Palace."

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth and Vermont streets. William C. Bessmer, pastor; Mrs. A. R. Beach, director of music; Miss Lillian J. Fox, organist; Lloyd Satterwhite, superintendent of church school. Sunday, March 27: Church school classes for all ages 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:35 a. m. Sermon: "Jesus and the Present Day." Mrs. A. H. Bratten will sing, "Come Unto Me," by Handel. The choir will sing, "Beneath the Cross of Jesus," by Thompson. The Youth Fellowship will meet at 7:30 p. m. The builders class meets Monday at the church wil contributive supper at 7:00 p. m. Midweek Lenten service will be held Wednesday 7:45 p. m. Theme: "The Drama of the Cross."

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Fourteenth street and Stewart avenue. Services Lord's day morning beginning at 10:30. Bible lesson: 5th chapter I John. Communion. Evening service at 7:30. Lesson for the evening service is in Genesis beginning with Chapter 15. There will be communion at the evening service for those unable to attend morning worship.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST of Latter Day Saints, Ninth and Montgomery streets. Elder Roe B. Vincent, pastor.Church school 9:45 a. m. Nelson Pugh in charge. Morning sermon 11:00 a. m. Elder Nelson Puge. Zion's League 7:30 p. m., March 28, at 1511 West Main street, Young adults 7:30 p. m. at LeRoy Hancock's.

FEDERATED CONGREGATIONAL-PRESBYTERIAN, Sixth street and Osage avenue. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. W. C. Housel, superintendent. Church service at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Dow G. Pinkston of Missouri Valley college will give the sermon. Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist and choir director.

Study Class

Jehovah's Witnesses will hold a meeting to study the Watch Tower subject: "The Comfort For the Displaced People" Isaiah 40:1. Followed by a study of "Theocratic Judges," taken from the book, "The Kingdom is at Hand." Sunday 2:00 p. m. at the Kinkdom Hall, 721 East Third street.

Sunday School Lesson

Jesus Knew no Religious Prejudice

By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

One of the most amazing and revolting incidents of our time is the spectacle of certain people preaching and practicing racial and religious prejudice in the name of Christ. And much of this prejudice has been directed against Jews, of which religion was Jesus himself, and from whom we received, not only the riches of the Old Testament, but the records of the New, and the church itself.

When Paul spoke of the Gospel of Christ, he emphasized its universality. His mission and ministry, he insisted, were to Gentiles as well as to those of his own religion, both to the Greek and to the Jew. It was his boast of the Gospel that it had power to change any man.

Was Paul in this a true interpreter of his Master? Or did Jesus in any way limit His mission, or the benefit and privileges of the grace of God?

There are one or two incidents that viewed lightly, or thoughtlessly, might indicate that; But the whole story of Jesus, the revelation of His spirit, and the general records of the four Gospels, are so much against any such interpretation, that these incidents must be seen in the light of the full evidence.

One of the most puzzling incidents, if we read the record without insight and imagination, is that of Jesus and the Syrophenician woman, in Mark 25-30. This troubled Grecian woman had brought her demented daughter to Jesus, beseeching Him to heal her. Jesus had retired to a house, hoping for privacy and rest, but the woman heard of His being there an dwas persistent in her effort to see Him.

Her importunity must have impressed Him, but evidently to test her faith He put in her way stumbling blocks that seemed harsh, and even cruel. Voicing the common religious and racial prejudice, He said, in effect, "Do you ask this of Me, a Jew? It is not meet to take the children's bread and give it unto dogs." But He was voicing, not His own thought, but the sort of thing that racial and religious prejudice thinks and says, for He was about to bless the woman and her daughter.

Had we been there, we would undoubtedly have seen the look in His eye and observed the manner that belied the seeming harshness of His words. And He drew from the woman the reply that pleased Him. Dogs must be fed. Human need transcends prejudices.

So the incident and the healing actually rebuked those who would have turned the woman away. There is no place for racial or religious prejudice in any phase of Christ or His Gospel.

Number 9938
Notice of Administrator With Will Annexed

Notice is hereby given, That Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, on the Estate of Fred E. Rush, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of February 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 28th day of February 1949.
D. S. LAMM,
Administrator With Will Annexed.

Attested by me this 28th day of February 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

IN THE PROBATE COURT

Be it remembered, that on Friday, March 11th, 1949, the same being the eighteenth day of the regular February Term, thereof, of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court, and entered of record, to-wit:

STATE OF MISSOURI) (SS.
COUNTY OF PETTIS)

Order of Publication
Number 9932

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Riley, deceased.
Kurman W. Riley, Administrator.

Kurman W. Riley, Administrator of the estate of Henry Riley, deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

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as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such case.

On Examination Whereof, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, April 19th, 1949, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts: and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis County, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.
(Seal) J. E. SMITH,
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.
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The Daily Washington Merry-go-Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, March 25—The Army and Navy are going to have some real surprises when Louis Johnson takes over as secretary of national defense. He really means business when it comes to scaling off the century-old crust of Army-Navy rivalry and making all three services act as if they were serving under the same flag.

No definite decision has been made as yet, but one thing in the back of Johnson's mind is to ask Congress to abolish Annapolis and West Point as traditional training schools for the Army and Navy.

Johnson has already been talking the matter over with some of his intimate advisers and here are some of the points they have placed before him:

1. Real rivalry between the Army and Navy comes from the Annapolis-West Pointers at the top. It doesn't come from the younger officers below, and particularly isn't carried on by the reserve officers who haven't been exposed to four years of intensive Annapolis-West Point tradition.

2. Other professional men, such as doctors and lawyers, take four years at any accredited college, then specialize at a professional school.

3. Therefore, it's proposed to use Annapolis and West Point as normal training schools for all officers, mixing up the future commanders of the army, navy and air force. Not until they have rubbed shoulders and got acquainted for two or three years at West Point or Annapolis would they decide their ultimate branch of the service. After this preliminary, nonspecialized training they would specialize at a separate school to become either air force or navy or army officers.

Johnsons advisers point out that the old-school-tie tradition is strong among all Annapolis and West Point grads. Classmates stick together and their prejudices stick with them years afterward. But if army, navy, air force officers have all trained together in the same class, they will work together much more cooperatively, even though they later join rival branches of the service.

Note — A committee of noted educators under some distinguished scholastic figure, such, as President James Conant of Harvard, would study the matter first and recommend the best solution to the secretary of national defense.

Civil Rights Again

Highlight of President Truman's private meeting with congressional leaders immediately following his return from ey West was a decision to make another try for enactment of the civil rights program.

Senate majority leader Scott Lucas intends to press for a roll call vote not only on antilynching and poll-tax repeal, but on the hotly controversial fair employment-practices program, the chief target of Dixie filibusterers.

However, the Senate decks will be cleared first of other major bills, including a new labor law, social-security extension, public-housing and minimum wage legislation — all road blocked by the recent talkathon.

"Of course, I still think that's the way it should have been handled in the first place," remarked Lucas, who was never enthusiastic about the White House strategy of an early showdown on civil rights.

Truman, tanned and healthy, grinned and said that he, also, had no intention of abandoning civil rights legislation.

Lucas observed that Republican senators who joined with southern Democrats in the recent filibuster already are beginning to feel the backlash of public opinion from their states.

Mail Bag

Senator Clyde Hoey of North Carolina — Apologies for getting the wrong Mrs. Ernest Howard with whom you were photographed the other day; and glad to know that th lady in the photograph was not the Mrs. Ernest Howard, wife of the RFC official, whom your committee is investigating. . . . Walter Winchell, New York — The Hooper survey people are laying off some of their operators. What is this going to do to your rating? . . . Grover Whalen, Delray, Fla. — Gov. Fuller Warren of Florida once joined the Ku Klux Klan, but he was wise enough to recognize his error and get out almost immediately, and big enough to admit recently that he made a mistake. . . . E. A. Stephens, New Orleans —It was a definite fact that the Key West pictures made of the president from a navy blimp were OK'd in advance bothby the navy and one of the president's top secretaries, William Hassett. Later, another presidential secretary, Charlie Ross, reversed Hassett and the navy. . . .

Arthur Goldberg, counsel for the CIO, Washington, D. C. — Senator Taft has agreed to more than twenty changes in the Taft-Hartley act. They have been worked out privately by Republican members of the senate labor committee.

Merry-Go-Round

The French are dead set against letting Field Marshal Montgomery continue as military commander under the North Atlantic pact. He is too dictatorial, too temperamental and too much a prima donna. Only Eisenhower could get along with him during the war. So the French urge that an American general take over and they would not be averse to Gen. Al Wedemeyer, chief of the American war plans. . . . The National Association of Real Estate Boards raised $37,853 for its lobby against the rent-control bill. The lobby likes to claim that the big landlords aren't their main supporters, but one-fourth of this kitty came from only twenty big realtor groups. . . . Maj. Gen. Alden Waitt, a good chemical corps commander, is a passionate devotee of cleanliness. He has been hounding the army to install a new bathroom, shower and kitchenette in his headquarters, and has now finally got them — with air conditioning and soundproofing to boot. . . . If the USA could collect all the money the Dutch rubber cartel squeezed out of us in exorbitant prices charged before Pearl Harbor, this would finance our ECA aid to Holland) which the state department insists on) ten times over.

America's Dr. Jekyll And Mr. Hyde

Forrestal to Return In an Emergency

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Pres. Truman said Wednesday Retiring Secretary of Defense Forrestal promised to return to government service in case of an emergency.

Forrestal will be succeeded by Louis Johnson next week.

Mr. Truman said Forrestal served his country at "tremendous sacrifice" and has sought to retire for some time. The President said he finally accepted the resignation for Forrestal's "own welfare."

He praised the defense secretary's "great public record."

Mail-Opener Adds Suit to Suit Males

Burlesque was wrong: "Put-'em-on" technique, not "take-'em-off," made this mail opener a male eye-opener.

LOS ANGELES, Calif —NEA— A mail-opener that is a male eye-opener has convinced a plastics novelty company here that the "take 'em off" psychology of burlesque is all wrong.

Months ago the company started manufacturing letter openers in the form of shapely maidens, eight inches high and all beautifully curved transparent plastic. Clothing was considered superfluous at first.

The figurines didn't sell. Maybe men feared the scorn of the "little woman" should she happen to drop into the office.

They decided to dress up the model a little. A frosting process gave her panties and bra. Sales figures picked up, but only a fraction.

Then the experts went into another huddle. The gal appeared with a cloth bathing suit molded to her figure. That did it. Sales rocketed. The "put 'em on" technique had succeeded. The company is now diverting its entire production to the openers.

Old Orchard Returns

OLD ORCHARD, Me.—(AP)—The July 25-30 week of grand circuit racing at the Kite Track here will mark the return of major league harness racing to the oval for the first time since 1946. Some $60,000 in early closing events are scheduled for the week of competition, including a $5,000 event for two-year-old trotters.

The motor nerves of insects and spiders are on the underside, along the spinal column as are those of higher creatures.

How to Spend Leisure Time

Mrs. Lester Robertson, assisted by her daughter, Ilene, was hostess to the Van Natta Extension club at the March meeting.

At noon a contributive luncheon was served.

Mrs. R. D. Brown presided over the business meeting which was opened by singing, "Song of Peace." Fourteen members answered roll call to, "What I Do When I Do As I Please." Mrs. Wes Harding, food leader, gave a lecture on foods and also a recipe for Oak Hill potatoes which were served at the noon hour.

After the adjournment, a seed, pattern and sack exchange was held. Mrs. W. S. Nutt and Mrs. Howard Curtis were visitors.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. George Buchholz. A book review will be given at this meeting and each member will design and model an Easter bonnet.

Title of Honor to Gen. McAuliffe

BRUSSELS, Belgium, March 25—(AP)—The title "Citizen of Honor of Bastogne" is to be conferred on U .S. Maj. Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe.

McAuliffe will be given the title in recognition of his outfit's heroic defense of the Belgian city during the Ardennes offensive in December, 1944.

McAuliffe's 101st airborne division held the Nazi-encircled city for seven days.

His famed one-word reply—"Nuts!"—to a German surrender call has become part of Belgian history.

Bastogne now labels itself the "Nuts City."

Two Triplers

NEW YORK —(AP)— Two sprinters have won the IC4A 60-yard dash three times. James Daley of Holy Cross turned the trick in 1928-29-30, while Columbia's Ben Johnson led the field in 1935-37-38. Johnson is co-holder of the meet's dash record of 6.2 seconds with several runners.

Democrat-Capital class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

Held

William C. Mahurin (above), 53, of Farmington, Mo., was charged with perjury and held for investigation after his wife, 46, died of burns at their farm home March 17. Mahurin said a kitchen stove exploded and burned her. (AP Photo)

April 6 Is Army Day

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25—(AP)—Gov. Forrest Smith today proclaimed April 6 Army Day. He asked Missourians to observe it "and dedicate ourselves anew to the task of keeping our nation strong and free, in a peaceful world."

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HAMBURG, Germany —(AP)— The British military government reports that 2,345 German women have gone to Britain as domestic servants.

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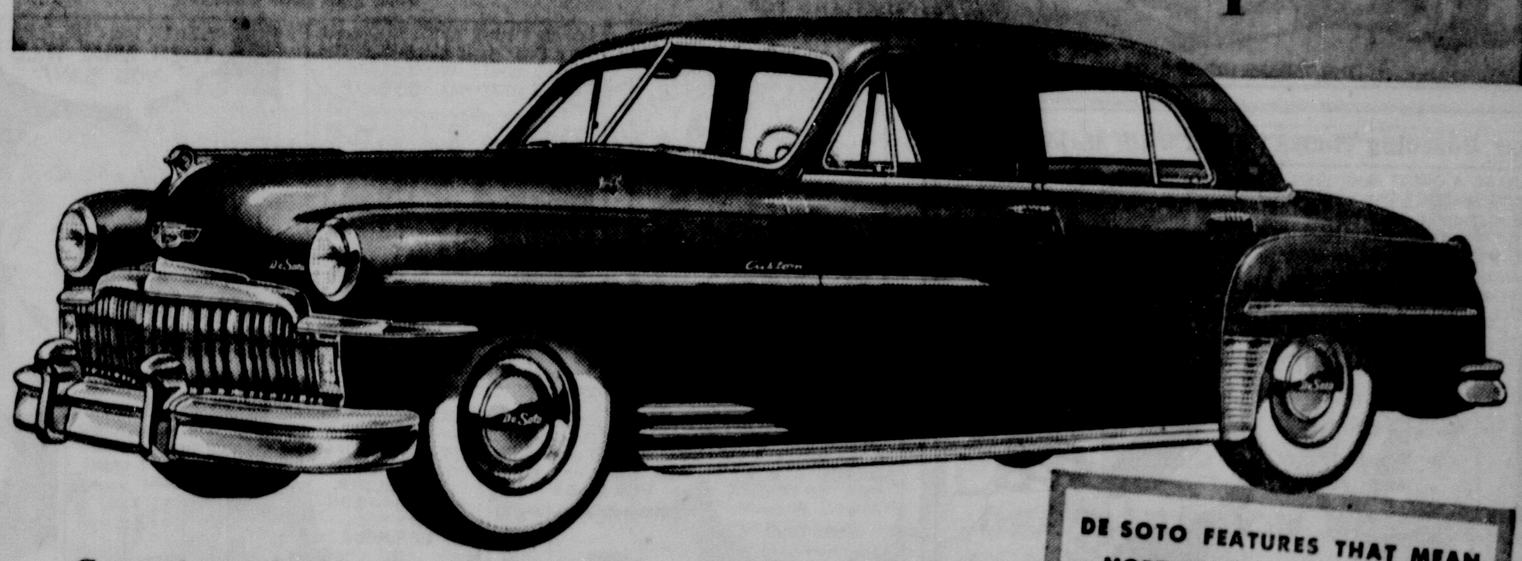
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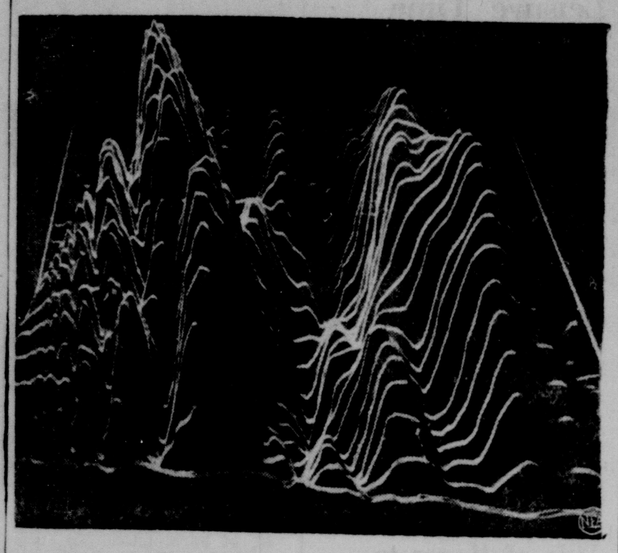

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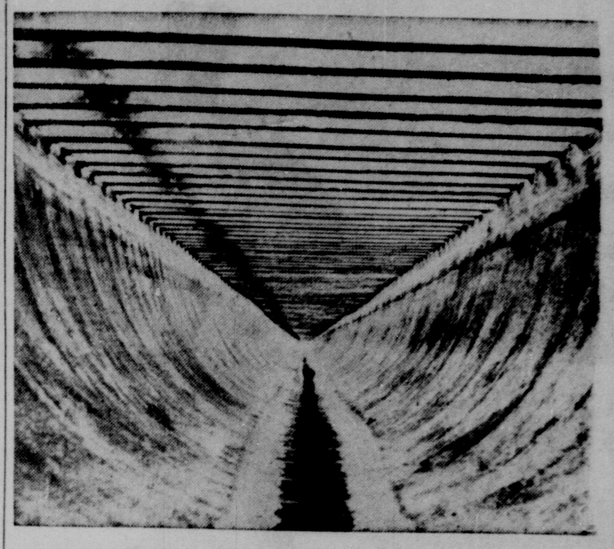

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1 Depicted reptilian animal
7 Some have valuable ——
13 Accustomed
14 Military unit
15 Chest bone
16 Leerer
18 Bind
19 Near
20 Massaged
22 Tellurium (symbol)
23 Half (prefix)
25 State
27 Revise
28 Organs of hearing
29 Red Cross (ab.)
30 Deciliter (ab.)
31 Exclamation
32 Rough lava
33 Fury
35 It has a long ——
38 Unclosed
39 Employs
40 Palm lily
41 Hails
47 Street (ab.)
48 Spread
50 Jewish month
51 Consumed
52 Card game
54 Tearer
56 Impressed
57 Vipers

VERTICAL

1 Harangue
2 Many varieties live in the —— States
3 Polish
4 Transpose (ab.)
5 Man's name
6 Rim
5 Vehicle used on snow
8 In this place
9 Exempli gratia (ab.)
10 Ignited
11 Tarry
12 Shows contempt
17 Musical note
20 Some varieties end in ——
21 Icarus' father (myth.)
24 Optical illusion
26 Swiss canton
33 Decayed
34 Each
36 Suppurate
37 Natural fats
42 Poker stake
43 Told a falsehood
44 Pronoun
45 Early Irish capital
46 Feminine name
49 City in Palestine
51 Imitate
53 Right (ab.)
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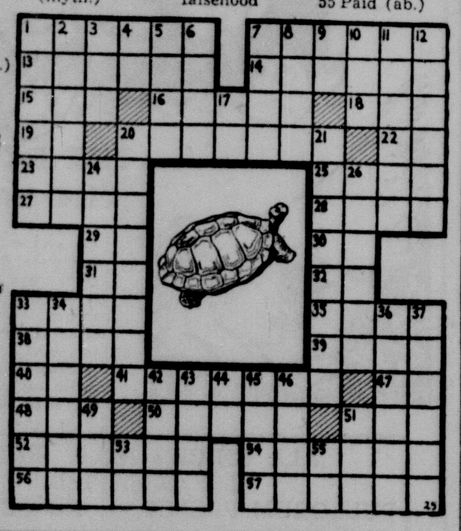

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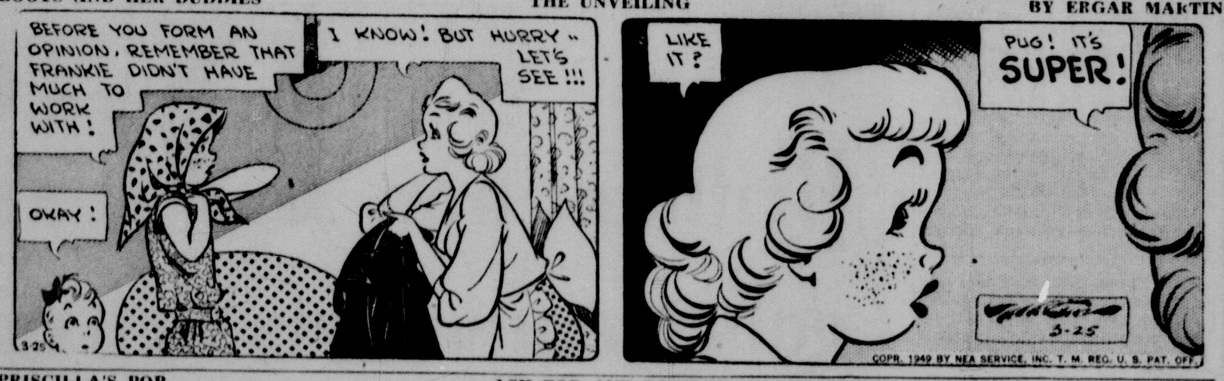

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II Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

1946 FORD TUDOR, good. Call 890-M.

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ELECTRIC MOTORS REPAIRED, rebuilt. All work guaranteed. Cole's Electric Motor Service. 420 South Osage. Phone 410.

WASHERS, RADIOS. Vacuum sweepers repaired. All makes. Sales and Service. Sedalia Vacuum Company. 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

MACHINE WORK: Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Mo. Homer Hall. 117-119 South Osage. Phone 766

ELECTRIC MOTORS REPAIRED, rebuilt, also new and used motors, V-belts, and sheaves. Electric Motor Shop, 117 South Ohio. Phone 4837.

GUNS REPAIRED: Used guns bought and sold. Scope sights mounted. Rifles bore sighted. Middleton Gun Shop. 321 East Main. Phone 3481

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRS and parts. All makes cleaned and oiled. 14 years experience. All work guaranteed. Leland Witt. 1318 South Lamine. Phone 3951

SEWING MACHINE SERVICE all makes and models, work guaranteed, also electric motors, new and used machines. Buttonhole attachment. 1804 South Osage. Phone 2592-R.

WASHER, RADIO AND REFRIGERATION SERVICE
On all makes and models.
Pickup and delivery.
PHONE 3800
WARDS SERVICE DEPT.

18B—For Rent

LIME QUARRY FOR LEASE: 5,000 tons uncovered. Test 98%. 3248-M-2.

19—Building and Contracting

CARPENTER REPAIR WORK and roofing. Phone 4172-J.

CARPENTER, PAINTING, REPAIR work wanted. Guy Brownfield. Phone 2228.

MODERNIZE YOUR KITCHEN with our built-ins. Free designing and estimates. Material used at wholesale prices. Terms if desired. Homecraft Cabinet Works. Phone 54.

WINDOW SCREENS, DOORS, picture windows, any size, made to order. Binderup, 1110 East 3rd. Phone 768 or 5440-R.

23—Insurance and Surety Bonds

M. F. A. INSURANCE: All kinds. L. C. Robinson, 1414 East 14th.

24—Laundering

WASHINGS WANTED: Phone 4893-W.

WASHINGS WANTED: Quick service. Phone 2543.

WASHINGS WANTED: No ironings. Phone 1702-J

WASHINGS: Will call for and deliver. Phone 3857-W.

WASHINGS AND IRONINGS WANTED: 902 East Boonville. Phone 1370-J

EASY WASH DAYS at Serve Your Self Laundry. 715 West 16th. Phone 3287

YOU MAY DO YOUR OWN laundry here or we will do it for you. Russell's Laundry Service. 503 East 3rd. Phone 878.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

LIGHT HAULING, also trash and cinders. Phone 1912

PACKAGE DELIVERY. 20c. Moving, hauling. Call for price. 4538

SEDALIA DELIVERY. Moving Service. Phone 10 or 394 nights. Sundays.

MID-STATE STORAGE AND TRANSFER Company. Dependable service, storage, local and long distance moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific Tracks. Phone 946. John R. Eskins and Dan D. Doty, owners.

26—Painting, Papering, Decorating

PAPER HANGING AND PAINTING: Phone 1430-J

WALL PAPER CLEANED: Cleaner that cleans. J. Cutler, Dugans 142.

HANGING AND CLEANING PAPER: Work guaranteed. Phone 4482-J

ED WRIGHT painter and paper hanging. 312 East Chestnut. Phone 2268-R

WALL PAPER CLEANING: Wall washing. Work guaranteed. Phone 5031-J.

PAINTING: Decorating. Paper hanging. Neat work. H. D. Davis. Phone 3730-J

UNION PAINTING, paper hanging and steaming paper. Jay Nicholson, Jr. Phone 4447-R.

26A—Painting—Decorating

PAINTING AND ODD JOBS: Experienced. Reuben W. Cordes. 1007 South Massachusetts. Phone 4507-W.

29—Repairing and Refinishing

FLOOR SANDING by experienced men. Free estimates. Phone 2928-W.

HIGH GRADE FURNITURE refinishing. Antiques. J. R. Starkey. Phone 2853-J.

30—Tailoring and Pressing

TAILORING AND ALTERATIONS: Suits to measure. John Theiss. 218 Lamine.

IV Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

SEAMSTRESS WANTED: Competent. 804 West 4th. Phone 2329.

THREE WAITRESSES WANTED: Must be experienced. Reed Drug Company.

BEAUTY OPERATOR WANTED: Good hours, good salary. Write Box 30 care Democrat.

GIRL WANTED for general housework in modern country home. Stay nights. Write Box "26" care Democrat.

MIDDLE AGE WHITE WOMAN for general housework and ironing. Small family. Hours 8:30 to 2:30. Write Box 32 care Democrat

WAITRESS WANTED: Experienced preferred. Good references. Deep Rock Cafe, Highway 65. Phone 3351-M before 3 p. m., 4272 after 3 p. m.

EXPERIENCED WHITE WOMAN wanted for general housework. Modern country home. References required. Write Box 37, care Democrat.

33—Help Wanted—Male

BUS BOY WANTED: White. Puckett's Cafe.

CARRIER BOYS WANTED: Phone 291 Kansas City Star. Harry Bronigher Distributor.

MARRIED MAN to work on farm. Experienced. House, garden and cow furnished. Steady work. Phone 5121-M-4.

MARRIED MAN for farm work. House, garden and milk cow furnished. Must give good references and must have tractor experience. Farm located at Lone Elm store, 6 miles northeast Bunceton, Missouri. Hillard Nieburgge, Bunceton, Missouri.

33A—Salesmen Wanted

SALESMAN WANTED. Salary and commission. Full time. Wellets, Main and Osage.

TWO SALESMEN WANTED: Travel in Missouri and Arkansas. Salary and commission. See J. T. Campbell, Terry Hotel.

WANTED SALESMAN. Evening selling, will not interfere with your present work. Good commissions. Wellets, Main and Osage.

INSURANCE AGENT WANTED
To collect and sell insurance
LIFE
HOSPITALIZATION
HEALTH AND
ACCIDENT
Established debit. Sedalia only. Good salary and commission.
Write Post Office Box "88"
Sedalia, Missouri.

33A—Salesmen Wanted
Continued:

WELL ESTABLISHED LOCALLY OWNED FIRM WANTS A-1 SALESMAN
For inside and outside selling. Wonderful opportunity. Good salary and commission for right man. State name, age, address, telephone number and selling experience first letter.
All replies held in strictest confidence. Our men know of this ad.
Write Box 36 Care Democrat-Capital today.

34—Help—Male and Female

MAN AND WIFE for farm and house work. Electricity, good house. Harold Williams, Hughesville, Missouri.

MIDDLE AGED COUPLE with farm experience desire steady work on farm. Write A. M. Wilckens, Knob Noster, Missouri.

36—Situations Wanted—Female

BABY SITTING OR SHUT-INS: Day or night. Phone 5471-W.

PRACTICAL NURSE: Experienced. Excellent references. Phone 1440.

WOMAN wants light housekeeping work, experienced. Stay nights. Phone 3989.

37—Situations Wanted—Male

TRASH HAULING WANTED: Phone 5578.

V Financial

38—Business Opportunities

TO LEASE:: Or on commission, a garage, acetylene welding, tools and machinery. Oney Deal, Shackelford, Missouri. Phone Blackburn 11-F-23.

COMPLETELY EQUIPPED RESTAURANT: Close-in on Highway, doing splendid business, also adjoining 5 room house, modern, full basement, built-ins, bath, shower, automatic hotwater, double garage. An unusual opportunity to secure a combination business and home. Price $15,000. See E. H. McLaughlin at Porter Real Estate Company. Exclusive Agent.

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

FARM AND CITY LOANS: 4% no commission. W. D. Smith

VII Livestock

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

HAVE REGISTERED COCKER: Male, for stud purposes. Call 2442-W after 5 p. m.

PUREBRED ENGLISH SHEPHERD spaded female. Less than 2 years old. Real working dog. Reasonable. Fred Grabau, Cole Camp.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

MILK GOATS FOR SALE: Phone 4379.

SPRINGER COWS and milk cows. Phone 3696-J.

BRED GILTS: Extra nice. Phone 5172-M-4.

WORK HORSES AND MULES for sale. 2023 South Grand

SOW and eleven 8 weeks old pigs. Hankins, Phone 3372-M-2.

TEAM HORSES AND COLT: U. S. 50 and Route E. C. Hiltenburg.

TWO FRESH JERSEYS: Extra good butter cows. 1702 West Broadway.

FRESH MILK COWS and springer heifers. Frank Colbern. Phone 3094.

REGISTERED ANGUS BULL, 3 years old. Good. Phone 22-F-4, LaMonte.

REGISTERED HEREFORD BULLS and heifers. Olin Klein, Smithton, Mo.

PAIR GENTLE MULES: Five years. Harry Klein, Phone 1722 Otterville.

SIX YEAR OLD BLACK HORSE: Well broke. Carl Smith, LaMonte, Missouri.

WANTED: SOMEONE to break 3 year old draft horse for its work. Write Box 35 care Democrat.

TEAM MARE MULES, 4 year olds, broke. Also good harness. Earl Leaton, Otterville, Missouri.

YOUNG TEAM OF MARES: 5 and 6 years old. Ethel Weedin, LaMonte, Route 2. Six miles northwest.

TWO YOUNG DAIRY COWS: One fresh. Guernsey bull, 11 months old. See Sunday. B. McCarty, 25th and Marshall.

10 REGISTERED YEARLING Hereford bulls. Top quality and breeding. Dick Monsees. Route 5, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 5245-M-4.

TWO YOUNG SOWS, fifteen pigs, one yearling Guernsey heifer, bangs free, five year old registered Hampshire ram. Donald Rages, Smithton, Phone 2203, Florence.

49—Poultry and Supplies

FRYERS FOR SALE: Edna Broyles, 1802 South Summit.

LIVE AND DRESSED FRYERS, bakers, eggs. 1822 Ingram. Phone 3895

BABY CHICKS: Hatched from the finest egg strains of Pettis County. A new hatch off every Monday. Custom hatching service. Conkey's Y O feeds. Brooders, fountains, feeders, brooding litter, etc. Write, Phone or call in person. Sedalia Chick Hatchery, 202 West 4th Street. Phone 3076. Sedalia, Missouri.

U. S. APPROVED Pullorum controlled chicks. New Hampshire, Austra-White, White Rock, White Leghorn, AA grade, straight run $10.90 per 100. AAA grade $12.50. Heavy cockerels $10.90, Austra-White cockerels $7.90. Leghorn cockerels $3.90. 100% alive and quick delivery. Two hatches per week. Order direct. Stover Hatchery, Stover, Missouri.

FERGUSON EGG BRED CHICKS: Hatched from big eggs produced by select, blood tested breeders. Sexed or straight-run chicks. Eastern Hampshire and Hanson White Leghorns, $13 per hundred. White Rocks, White Wyandottes, Reds, per hundred $12.50. Three and four week old started chicks. Custom hatching 3c per egg. Come in, Call in or mail in order today. Ferguson Poultry Farm. Phone 270 Tipton, Missouri.

50—Wanted—Live Stock

TOP PRICES PAID for quality fryers and hens. Will Farris. Phone 177.

WANTED HORSES AND MULES: E. L. Busker, 2023 South Grand. Phone 3527-J.

VIII Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

TWO GOOD STOKERS, one 30 gallon automatic hot water tank. 112 East 6th.

MENAUGH'S ANTIQUES. Highway 65 South. Antiques bought and sold. Phone 383

BRIGGS and STRATTON washing machine motor, 4 cycle oil cooled. 601 East 16th.

INCUBATOR, typewriter, bicycle, mangle, watches, lamps and antiques. 2300 South Ohio.

USED OAK DESKS. Priced to sell. See at 114 East 2nd Street. (Former Teen Town Building)

WASHER WRINGER ROLLS, belts, parts, vacuum cleaner bags, belts, brushes. Sedalia Vacuum Company. 513 Lamine. Phone 4710

ALL STEEL FILING CABINETS, new. Three or four drawer letter or legal size. See at 114 East 2nd Street. (Former Teen Town Building)

BICYCLE, Sewing Machines, Radiants, cabinets, trunks, rugs, clocks, office furniture, counters, shelving, doors, plumbing tools, paint, typewriters, saddles, plows, scales, Frigidaire, hospital bed, hemstitching machine. Store 1207 Ingram. Phone 2825.

51—Articles for Sale
Continued

DRY OAK WOOD: Also hedge posts. Phone 5176-M-2.

51B—Dead Animals

HIGHEST PRICES FOR
DEAD ANIMALS
"Removal in 2 hr's of call"
SEDALIA RENDERING CO., Inc
We Pay Phone Calls
Phone 5090 Res. Phone 3908-J

TOP PRICES PAID for fallen animals. Prompt truck pickup anywhere in this territory. Just phone 3033 Sedalia collect. Standard Rendering Company.

53—Building Materials

PINE AND OAK LUMBER. Delivered Any amount. Wills. Phone 3658-J

OAK, PINE LUMBER, delivered. Furnell. 1941 East 6th. Phone 1383-W

54—Business and Office Equipment

STEEL UTILITY DESKS. With or without filing compartment attached. Priced to sell. See at Former Teen Town Building. 114 East 2nd Street

SHOE REPAIR
EQUIPMENT
Stitcher, patch machine, finisher, cash register, etc. Also findings. Will sacrifice due to accident.
Will sell any part or all.
1122 East Third

55-A—Farm Equipment

SURGE MILKING MACHINE: Two single units, nearly new. Phone 5205-J-3.

H. FARMALL TRACTOR and cultivator for sale. Marion Houchen. Hughesville, Mo

OLIVER 70, newly overhauled. On rubber. John Deere oat seeder. Good. Harold Stephens, Route 3, Sedalia.

M. M. SEPARATOR 28x46, Oliver Combine, 5 foot. H. W. Brandt, La Monte, Missouri. Phone Sweet Springs 16-F-3.

DELCO LIGHT PLANT: 32 volt with batteries in good shape. Phone 24-F-13. Ernest Fredrick, LaMonte, Missouri.

NEW ELECTRIC BROODER: 500 capacity. $25.00. Hotblast coal circulating stove. Elmer Alfrey, Route 3. Phone 5-F-13.

IRON WHEEL WAGON AND BOX; six shovel cultivator, good shape. A. W. Walker, Beaman, Missouri. Phone 5180-M-2.

NEW ALLIS W. D. with cultivator, new Farmall H. and cultivator, 48 Farmall M. cultivator and loader. 41 Allis W. C. Extra good. Otto Zimmerschied, Otterville, Missouri.

GRAIN BINS: Martin steel and aluminum. All sizes, reduced prices. Immediate delivery. Albert Mahnken, Farm Building and Supply, Route 1, Cole Camp, Missouri.

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

WINDSOR COAL and good wood. High Point Service. Phone 4224

HICKORY AND OAK WOOD delivered. Any amount. Phone 1357-R

LESPEDEZA HAY, Corn Planter. J. T. Long, Smithton, Phone 1521.

GOOD WINDSOR LUMP COAL: Delivered. Wallace McCown. Phone 4882-W

LESPEDEZA AND TIMOTHY HAY: $12.50 and $15.00 a ton. Phone 3604 Syracuse, Missouri.

GOOD MIXED HAY, $17.00. Recleaned Clinton oats, $1.00. Herman Knipp, Tipton, Missouhi. Phone 4002.

57—Good Thing to Eat

POPCORN: The kind that pops. Bill Phillips. Phone 5138-R-2.

LOWREY'S CORN FED BEEF: By the quarter at Hughesville locker. Phone 37

59—Household Goods

GAS RANGE, good condition. 1020 South Osage.

UPRIGHT PIANO, electric sweeper. Phone 2307-W.

PIANO, Heatrola. New range tank. Myrtle Bohon, 310 East 10th.

FURNITURE, TOOLS: Bought, sold traded. Ralph's, 106 West 11th. Phone 4125.

FOUR VENETIAN BLINDS for double windows. Cheap. Phone 2193 evenings.

COMBINATION CHINA BUFFET, Lawn mower, radio, electric sweeper. Phone 2659. 647 East 15th.

VENETIAN BLINDS Quick delivery, installation free. Callies Furniture Company. 203 West Main. Phone 412.

WE BUY, SELL AND TRADE: 1218 South Engineer. J. B. Shull Used Furniture Store. All merchandise satisfactory

REFRIGERATORS—LEONARD, New, 5 year guarantee. All 1949 models. Prices from $209.95. Easy monthly payments. A little down will deliver. Mehornay's 125 South Ohio.

USED WASHERS $35—New and used sweepers, radios. Easy payments. Sedalia Vacuum Company. 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

VENETIAN BLINDS: Quality blinds, expertly installed. Small down payment, balance monthly. The Blindman." Phone 768 or 5440-R.

59B—Furniture For Rent

SIMMONS ADJUSTABLE hospital beds for rent. Callies Furniture Company.

60—Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds

RAILROAD WATCH: (Standard). Fine condition. Reasonable. Mrs. Alspach. Phone 3683.

62—Musical Merchandise

UPRIGHT PIANO: In good condition. Phone 4240-R.

COMBINATION table model Majestic radio, walnut. Very good. $35. 2 lamps, $15. Two end tables, walnut, $10. 804 West 3rd. Phone 2257-J.

SPINET PIANO: We have an almost new Spinet in this vicinity (cost over $700.00). We will turn over to parties with good credit willing to assume monthly payments of $23.95 for balance due. Write Auditor, Gribble Corporation, 919 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

LESPEDEZA RECLEANED $6.00. Columbian seed oats, feed wheat. Phone 5198-M-2.

GOOD RECLEANED LESPEDEZA seed. Priced $5.25 $6.00. Lewis Smith, Otterville, Route 1. Phone 2822

RECLEANED ALSIKE CLOVER: $17.50 per bushel. Carl C. Siegel, Florence, Missouri. Phone Otterville 3520.

CLINTON OATS: Grown from certified seed. State tested 94. Fred Harsh, 3 miles northeast Smithton. Phone 1511.

SEED OATS: Ames number two, $1.25 bushel. Red Clover seed, clean, 45c pound. R. A. Sundwall, 1418 South Osage. Phone 2993

PRAIRIE AND LESPEDEZA HAY by ton or bale. Lespedeza seed. Seed potatoes. Certified Cobblers and Pontiacs. Thurman Fruit Market. 302 East 16th. Phone 2950.

RED CLOVER
SEED
JOHN N. SNEED
PHONE 5346-W-1

65—Wearing Apparel

GOOD SUITS and overcoats, cheap, good condition. Holmes Cleaners

BOY'S CLOTHES: Size 12 and 13. Palm Beach suit. Practically new shoes and suits. Wool trousers, corduroys, dungarees, overcoat, helmet, raincoat and helmet, overshoes, tennis shoes, sweaters, etc. Phone 1982-W.

VIII Merchandise

65—Wearing Apparel
Continued

GOOD COATS AND DRESSES: Cheap. Size 14. 1218 East 12th.

LADIES SPRING COAT: Attractive, like new, all wool. $10. 753-W.

66—Wanted—To Buy

LARGE PRINT BIBLE WANTED: 1105 East 3rd. A. G. Collins.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID for good used furniture. Callies Furniture Company.

GUNS WANTED: Will trade for 25 automatic, also any other guns. Will trade $275 aluminum boat for Kodak Medalist in good condition. Wollets, Main and Osage. Phone 473.

IX Rooms and Board

67—Rooms with Board

ROOM AND BOARD. 400 East 2nd. Phone 2467-J.

AGED PENSIONERS: Room and board. 408 East 2nd.

68—Rooms without Board

SLEEPING ROOM: 521 East 10th. Phone 4432-W.

MODERN SLEEPING ROOM: 1005 South Missouri. Phone 4778-M

FRONT SLEEPING ROOM: Employed. Close-in. 408 West 6th

SLEEPING ROOM. Kitchen privileges, employed lady. 218 West 7th. 3791-W.

BEDROOM: Private bath, garage. 512 West Broadway. Phone 2278 evenings.

SLEEPING ROOM—automatic hot water heater, clothes closet. 511 West 2nd.

UNFURNISHED ROOM: Utilities and gas heat furnished. $12.50 month. Call 270.

SLEEPING ROOM and living room. Private bath, telephone. Two men or couple. 618 West 6th. Phone 1735-R.

72—Where to Stop in Town

$5.00 PER WEEK
MILNER HOTEL
201 East 2nd St. Phone 210

X Real Estate for Rent

74—Apartments and Flats

BEDROOM IN MODERN HOME: Kitchen privileges. Phone 958.

TWO ROOM APARTMENT: Upstairs. 1314 South Kentucky

TWO ROOM FURNISHED apartment. Utilities paid. Adults. 1526 East 4th.

NEW APARTMENT: 3 rooms, modern, furnished. Close-in. Adults. Phone 2757.

LIVING ROOM, BEDROOM, bath adjoining and kitchen privileges. 804 West 4th.

TWO LOVELY SLEEPING ROOMS: Kitchen privilege optional. Employed ladies. 112 East 6th.

TWO ROOM APARTMENT: Also three room apartment over Ken Williams store. Call Ken Williams.

THREE ROOM MODERN APARTMENT: Private bath, all utilities paid. $60.00 a month. Phone 1719-W.

THREE ROOM furnished apartment. Modern. Hardwood floors. Nicely furnished. Adults. 709 West 5th.

SLEEPING ROOM, FIRST FLOOR: Front. Kitchen privileges, home comforts. Employed lady preferred. Phone 3509-W.

TWO ROOM FURNISHED apartment, modern, utilities paid, garage. Employed Couple. Call 4778-W Sunday or after 5:30 week days.

76A—Pasture for Rent

50 ACRE PASTURE, 9 miles south of Sedalia. Garden on shares. 1203 South Massachusetts. Phone 2497-J.

77—Houses for Rent

FIVE ROOMS: Modern. 616 West 10th. See after 5 p. m.

FOUR APARTMENT DWELLING: West Main Street. Prefer renting to one person. Good income. Inquire at 320 South Ohio.

78—Offices and Desk Room

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT or lease. 404½ South Ohio. Phone 4748.

79A—Garden For Rent

GARDEN FOR RENT: Phone 3368.

81—Wanted—To Rent

FOUR OR FIVE unfurnished rooms wanted by couple. Apartment or house. References. Phone 4848-W.

XI Real Estate for Sale

82A—Business For Sale

GROCERY, SELF SERVICE. Good volume. A-1 fixtures. Write Box 132, Boonville, Missouri.

RESTAURANT: Completely equipped. Doing good business on Main Street. Charles Gentry, Ilgenfritz Building.

83—Farms and Land for Sale

9 ACRES, four room house. Four miles out. Cheap. Phone 2483-J after 5 p. m.

7 ACRES, IMPROVED, 8 miles west of Fair Grounds on 16th Street. Fred Henley.

40 ACRES: Electricity, built-ins, new water system, plenty buildings, including 24x50 laying house, new fences, spring branch, milk, mail and school route. Possession. R. A. Morris, Otterville.

117½ ACRES: 60 acres in cultivation, more can be. Balance blue grass pasture. Seven room house, 30x60 barn, outbuildings. Lots water, ¾ mile to grade school. Gravel road, mail, high school, milk route, electricity. 8 miles East Sedalia. 2 miles north Smithton. Priced to sell. N. A. Monsees, on farm.

73 ACRES, ½ mile from town on Highway 50. 58 tillable, 15 timber. Extra good buildings. Strictly modern house, 5 rooms, full bath, built-ins. Pressure water system. Barn 28x30. Six stanchions. Electricity in house, barn, henhouse. Leaving state. Arthur Rohrbach, Phone 2430 Syracuse, Missouri.

SPLENDID STOCK AND GRAIN FARM OF 474 ACRES
42 head cattle, 22 cows, 10 head coming 2 years. Balance fall and winter calves. Good work team. Harness and wagon. 14 head hogs, large and small.

Tractor, Hammer Mill, 8-foot Disc, One Cultivator, Fertilizer Spreader. All the above is new, never been used. One 10-foot Power Binder, 2 Cultivators. 1500 bushel Corn Crib. 1200 bushel Oats. Large improvements.
Price of farm and equipment, $85 per acre. Terms if wanted. 2 miles of town in Cooper County, Mo. Possession in 30 days.
GRAVES AND NEAL
Ilgenfritz Bldg., Sedalia, Mo.
W. H. Morris, Salesman

84—Houses for Sale

SIX ROOM HOUSE. Modern, double Garage. Phone 4642-W

FIVE ROOMS: All modern. Automatic water heater. 652 East 11th.

FIVE ROOMS: Semi-modern, east side. Phone 3697 evenings, Sundays.

GOOD FOUR ROOM HOUSE: 1½ acres. Located in Syracuse, Missouri. Priced to sell. John Sanders, Florence, Missouri.

PARKSIDE HOME FOR SALE
Thoroughly modern. Ready to occupy. Liberal FHA loan terms. Small down payment will handle. Monthly payments like rent. Investigate this one before you buy.
Mid-State Building Company,
Dan Robinson Nash Garage
Phone 3583

84—Houses for Sale
Continued:

FOUR ROOM HOUSE: Modern. Reasonable. 919 West 5th. Phone 4773-W

SIX ROOM HOUSE: Lights and water. $2800.00. Phone 5463-J after 6 p. m.

EIGHT ROOMS: Two baths. $5,000. 516 East 5th. Phone 4157-W after 5 p. m.

NEW FIVE ROOM EFFICIENCY: Small down payment, balance on G. I. loan, $25 monthly. 1803 East 6th.

FIVE ROOMS: Modern, full basement, 3 blocks from Ohio street. Owner. 10203 East 9th, Kansas City 3, Missouri. Phone IN 0458.

AN EXTRA NICE BASEMENT HOME: Improved lot, southeast. Live in it, build on it, its ready. It cost $3300.00 to build this, less my own labor. If you know a bargain and can act, own it for $1350.00. This deal is off Sunday, March 27, at 10 p. m. Owner Joe Vaughan, 2011 Ingram. Phone 5464-J.

85—Lots for Sale

ONE OR TWO LOTS: Utilities available. Phone 2517-J.

LOT FOR SALE including garage. 1403 South Carr. Phone 2208-W.

CORNER LOT: 12x16 building. Utilities available. Phone 4848-M.

89—Wanted—Real Estate

WE HAVE CASH PROSPECTS FOR HOMES IN SEDALIA. LIST WITH US FOR RESULTS. STEPHENSON REAL ESTATE, 102 EAST 5TH. PHONE 479

Lodge Notices

The Pettis County Chapter No. 270 O. E. S. will meet in regular session, Friday, March 25 at 7:30 p. m. Visiting members welcome. Degrees.
Celeste Kirkpatrick, W. M.
Gertrude Halland, Sec'y.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF E. W. THOMPSON MOTOR COMPANY

The annual meeting of the stockholders of E. W. Thompson Motor Company will be held at the office of the said company at 400 South Osage Street, Sedalia, Missouri, at 10:00 A. M. on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1949, for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
JOHN SUTHERLIN,
Secretary.
3-25, 4-1.

No. 9937
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Burns, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of January, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 17th day of January, 1949.
D. S. LAMM,
Executor.

Attested by me this 17th day of January, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-25, 4-1, 4-8, 4-15.

FOR SALE

7 room modern brick home $6500.
7 rooms, modern, corner, south carr ave.
2½ acres, 5 room modern house, good location.
4 rooms, modern except heat, part basement.
6 rooms, modern except heat, 4 lots, $3500.
5 rooms, full basement, gas furnace, built-in kitchen, hardwood floors, insulated.
6 rooms, newly decorated, basement, furnace, 923 East 10th.
6 apartment, modern, close in (yearly income $2,526.00).
5 rooms, lights, water, gas, built-in kitchen, ($500 will handle).
(Choice building lot, So. Kentucky, close in).
Garage (Building and Equipment) good location.
CARL & OSWALD
300 So. Ohio Phone 291
John E. Bohon, Salesman

INSULATION
Johns-Manville Contractors
710 SO. OHIO
Phone 2003-5519

GOOD BUYS IN HOMES

5 Rooms, lights, water, $2,000.
5 Rooms, modern east, $2800 down, $22.50 monthly.
5 Rooms, full basement, $5,800.
3 Rooms, S. W., $6,500.
6 Rooms modern $5,000.
5 Rooms, modern $1,300 down.
8 Rooms, W 7th $7,500.
5 Rooms, new S W $8,000.
5 Rooms, Dal-Wn-Mo, $12,000.
6 Rooms, S. W., $7,500.
2 Bedrooms $1200 down.

APARTMENTS

Duplex, W Broadway $10,500.
4 Apartments, brings $185 monthly, $12,500.
8 Rooms, brings $155 monthly, plus 4 room apartment for owner. $18,000
11 Rooms, garage, 2 apartments. $150 monthly $15,000

ACREAGES

10 Acres, 1½ mile from Sedalia, 4 room house $4,750.
10 Acres, edge of town, 4 room house, $5,500
30 Acres, 4 room house, $4,250.
Have a large selection of farms and businesses in and around Sedalia.

Stephenson
Real Estate & Ins. Co.
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Chamber of Commerce Courtesy Award Winners

Harry Williams, (top left) 1313 South Moniteau avenue, right, employed at Cal Rodgers, Sale and Service Station, Fifth street and Osage avenue, receiving the Courtesy Award check for the month of December from Maurice Hogan, chairman of the Retail Merchants committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. J. W. Leftwich (top right), 1811 South Lamine avenue, waiting on a customer, Mrs. Cleo Cecil, 706½ South Ohio avenue, at the Middleton-Peters Grocery where she is employed. Mrs. Leftwich won the C. of C. Courtesy Award for women for the month of December. Olaf Balke, 1021 East Seventeenth street, center, who is shown receiving the Courtesy Award for the month of November from Maurice Hogan, (left) chairman of the Retail Merchants committee. On the right is Cline Cain, one of the owners of the Cash Hardware store where Mr. Balke is employed. Miss Margaret Hough, left, of the Quincy Apartments, showing a spring bag to Mrs. Roy Taylor, of Longwood, a customer of the C. W. Flower Dry Goods store, where Miss Hough is employed. Miss Hough received the Courtesy Award for the month of November. (Photos by Glenn McVey)

About 1,000 at MW Roundup

Approximately 1,000 farmers of the Pettis county area visited the annual "Farmers Round-Up Day" program and demonstrations at the Montgomery Ward Farm store, from 10:30 o'clock in the morning until 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The store's line of farm implements and equipment was on display, and demonstrations were given of many of the items, including the chain saw, hammer mill, garden tractors, and others. Refreshments were served throughout the day.

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Pleading for extension of the multi-billion dollar aid program through another year, Vandenberg declared "current Moscow hysteria" toward the recovery program is clear proof of its success.

"It was fresh air in the lungs of liberty," Vandenberg cried dramatically. "It drove despair from the souls of men."

And now, he said, Moscow's fears are "being realized—and so are our hopes."

Senator Kem (R-Mo) and Jenner (R-Ind) objected that American funds are being used to finance Socialistic experiments in England and other nations.

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Mrs. Anderson was pulling away from a parking meter when the accident occurred.

Couple Wanted For Questioning

Kathleen Birmingham, 17, and Milton Babich, 19, eat a meal in a Minneapolis, Minn., restaurant through the courtesy of police officers who picked them up. The couple is wanted in Milwaukee for questioning in connection with the slaying of Kathleen's 16-year-old sister whose weighted body was pulled from the Milwaukee river. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Novelty Piano Duo Wins in Talent Finds

Peggy Shull and Don Broaddus Took Second Place

"Twenty Fingers of Rhythm" novelty piano duo, won the Fox Talent Quest finals Thursday night and a trip to Springfield which may also lead to Hollywood. Louis Greife, 45 and Scott Sappington, 47, both of Windsor, who have been playing the piano together by ear since childhood won the applause of the audience which gave them first place.

Second place was won by Peggy Shull and Don Broaddus with a jitterbug act. The 'teen age Smith-Cotton high school pair are cousins and received gifts

Third place went to the Boggess Four, a quartet composed of two brothers and two sisters, Lavedia, Bobbie, Harvey and Udell, who also received gifts.

Present Acts Tonight

So great was the crowd to see the final Talent Quest show that more than one thousand persons were turned away, and Joe Ruddick, theatre manager is presenting the same thirteen acts again tonight so that those unable to get in the theatre Thursday night may still see the show.

Others who won outstanding applause to the degree that they were called upon the stage for a final decision of the judges were Ernest Mullberry, tenor and Dickie Phillips, novelty fiddle champion.

There were eight other acts all receiving a great deal of applause making the judging difficult. They were Carol Ann Turner, acrobatic. "The Collegiates" quartette from Central Missouri State college; Karl S. Brosing, Jr., baritone; Barbara Brown, vocalist; Billy Schwenck, and his accordion; Diane and Donnalyn Keim, from Eldon, "Thix Arcobatique," The Three Aces, Jerry Engle, Maxine Noel and "Rosy" Ellis, and Claude Boul, Jr., classical pianist

Mr. Greife and Mr. Sappington will go to Springfield Monday night to appear on the regional talent quest.

Mrs. W. L. Monegan has been the accompanist for many of the acts throughout the entire contest.

UMW Representative Dies After Operation

ST. LOUIS, March 25—(AP)—William J. Sneed, 65, an international representative of the United Mine Workers and one of John L. Lewis' chief troubleshooters, died Thursday in a St. Louis hospital. He underwent an operation for cancer yesterday.

He lived at Herrin, Ill., where he started as a coal miner 40 years ago. Sneed was president of the Illinois district of the U. M. W. from 1932-35.

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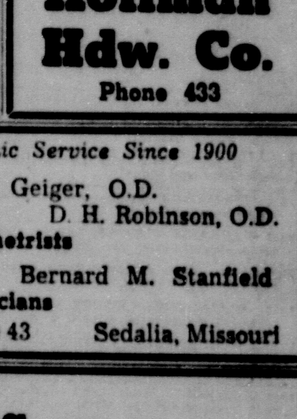
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Rankin Pension Bill Killed

One Vote Margin Shelves Measure In the House on Action Thursday

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—In a final jittery flip-flop ballot, the House today killed the Rankin veterans' pension bill—by a one vote margin.

Ironically, the death stroke was administered on the initiative of a World War II veteran.

President Truman told his news conference later he was exceedingly happy over the outcome. He called it a forward-looking action.

The sudden end to Rep. John E. Rankin's efforts to put across his multi-billion dollar measure climaxed three days of quarrelsome debate during which the House members changed their votes five times before shelving the bill.

On the showdown the tally was 208 to 207 to send the riddled legislation back to the veterans committee for "further study." That group, headed by the fiery Mississippi Democrat, possibly might try to redraft a veterans aid bill for later consideration, but Rankin, himself, indicated no such effort was in prospect.

"That kills this legislation for this Congress," he said.

When Rankin confidently brought his pension bill before the House Tuesday it was drafted to provide $90 a month for veterans of both world wars when they reached the age of 65, regardless of their financial needs.

Shattered By Amendments

But by the time the final rejection vote was tallied, the measure was so weighted with amendments that even its author could scarcely recognize it.

It was a combat veteran, Rep. Olin E. Teague, of College Station, Texas, who set off the legislative machinery to halt the Rankin bill.

The 39-year old Democrat, holder of 11 decorations, won election to the House in 1946 while a patient at the Army's Walter Reed hospital.

Teague moved to strike out the measure's enacting clause—that vital part of bill which would put it into effect if enacted.

That motion lost on a standing vote, 169 to 158.

But Teague demanded a teller vote, and when the members had marched down the aisles, the count was 171 to 168 in favor.

The Texan then asked the House to send the bill back to the committee.

This brought the most tense and confused moment of all as the law-makers made public their decision in a roll-call vote. Under similar circumstances two days earlier they had voted off the record to shelve the bill, then changed their minds on the roll-call test.

As the count was in progress, two Pennsylvania Democrats, Reps. Barrett and Granaham—changed their votes to side with the Rankin bill foes.

On the Associated Press score sheet these switches changed the unofficial total from 209 to 206 against to 208 to 207 in favor of the Teague motion. But the clerks erroneously reported the result as 209 to 208 against the motion.

Acting Speaker John McCormack (D-Mass) on his own initiative immediately ordered a recount.

The House fell silent as the clerks droned off the names of each member and how they had voted. It was so quiet the click of the automatic counting machines resounded through the chamber. When the last name had been called and the votes counted—with no changes—they added up to 208 to 207—in favor of Teague's motion to shelve the bill. There were 151 Democrats and 57 Republicans for it; opposed were 100 Democrats, 106 Republicans and one American Laborite.

Registration Books Are Open

The Board of Registrars opened the registration books from 8:00 o'clock in the morning until 8:00 o'clock at night, Thursday, today and Saturday in the police station of the city hall building, at which time those who have become entitled to register since the last days of registration, or have moved from one precinct or ward may do so.

This is a registration prior to the city election Tuesday, April 5, at which time eligible voters will elect five city councilmen, two school board members and a city attorney from their respective wards and precincts.

The board of registrars are: Mrs. Alice W. Crawford, first ward; Mrs. Ralph Smith, second ward; Mrs. John S. Devine, third ward and Miss Trace Berry, 4th ward.

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Asst. Director MPES Speaker At Civic Club

Explains Savings Possible Under Hoover Group Plan

The opportunity to save taxpaying Americans more than 3 billion dollars is present in the recommendations of the nonpartisan Commission on Reorganization of the Federal Government, Lester B. Fisher, assistant director of Missouri Public Expenditures Survey told the Sedalia Kiwanis club Thursday. The speaker was introduced by Robt. Malone, program chairman.

Fisher declared that the three billion saving in federal government costs is the estimate of the commission itself and is made on the basis of preliminary reports of studies. This commission, which has been working toward attaining more efficient and more economical federal government for well over a year, has been popularly known as the "Hoover Commission" since the appointment of former president Herbert Hoover to the chairmanship of the commission.

The development and progress of the Hoover commission was related by Fisher from its creation by the Lodge-Brown act of 1947 to the present time when recommendations of the "task forces" of the commission are presenting their recommendations to Congress. Fisher said, "This is no simple going-over with a dust cloth. It is no re-shuffling of existing agencies, duties and powers. The commission had and has full authority to dig deep into facts and figures, to explore functions and performances, to ask questions and submit detailed recommendations.

Provisions

Specifically, the Lodge-Brown Act provides the commission with five channels of activities in its recommendations for government reorganization.

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(5) Defining and limiting executive functions, services and activities.

Emphasizes Need For Support

In emphasizing the necessity for citizen support of the recommendations of the Hoover commission, Fisher declared that the tremendous growth of the federal government in past years makes it essential that every American citizen scrutinize carefully every attempt at federal expansion on its own level or into the local government field. He pointed out that innumerable services that were once considered as proper spheres of activity for private capital are now being promoted as proper functions of government.

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Bothwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Hazel Jamison of Smithton.

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Paul Repper of Otterville, and Mrs. George Ficken of Cole Camp.

Dismissed: Philip L. Harrison of Otterville, Marvin Hanigan, 505 East Fourth street, and Mrs. Roy Harms and son of Route 1, Cole Camp.

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WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The civil functions appropriation bill now before the House contains $125,000 for further planning of the Table Rock dam and reservoir and $8,000 for plans for the Carthage project, both in Missouri.

Rep. Short (R-Mo) told a reporter that the amounts are not earmarked in the bill but committee members said they are included in a lump sum for project planning.

A delegation from the Springfield, Mo., area, including Short, had appeared before an appropriations subcommittee and asked money to start actual construction of the project this year.

Short said the committee allowed nothing for new construction.

"I guess we were lucky to get the $125,000 for Table Rock and $8,000 for Carthage," he said. "Those were the amounts recommended to the committee by the budget for use on the project next fiscal year."

Marriage License Issued

James Allen Cornwall, Holland, N. Y., and Ruth Janice McMurdo, Sedalia.

Teen-Age Club Will Reopen Saturday Night

The Teen-Town club, on the west side of the first floor of the city hall, will reopen with a "free gate" Saturday night for all teen-agers. The featured entertainment of the evening will be square dancing.

Miss Rosalie Mountjoy will be in charge as supervisor.

Report Cost of Living Lower

Decline for the Fifth Month in a Row Figures Show

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The cost of living has dropped for the fifth month in a row, and virtually all of the increase that occurred in 1948 has now been wiped out, government figures showed today.

The Bureau of Labor statistics reported that its consumers' price index declined 1.1 per cent between Jan. 15 and Feb. 15. This fifth consecutive drop brought the index down to a point where it was only 0.9 per cent higher than a year ago.

The index figure on Feb. 15 was 169 per cent of the 1935-39 average. It was 27 per cent above June 1946, when OPA controls were abandoned, and 71 per cent higher than the pre-war level of August 1939.

The substantial cuts in food prices between January and February sent the index on that class of items down 2.5 per cent.

There were smaller declines for clothing and house furnishings. As a result of the three the index, which represents the retail prices of goods and services bought by moderate income families in large cities, took one of its deepest descents for one month since the war.

The food index on Feb. 15 was 199.7 per cent of the 1935-39 average, 8 per cent below the July 1948 peak. It was 2½ per cent lower than a year ago and 37 per cent above the June 1946 level.

Eggs And Fats Drop

Food prices dropped in all 56 cities surveyed. Some foods, like eggs, fats and oils and dairy products, hit the lowest marks in a year and a half or more.

The latest index figure has no immediate bearing on the widely publicized General Motors contract with the CIO United Auto Workers. The wage rates of General Motors employes go up or down with the cost of living index, but the change occurs only one in three months. The workers lost two cents an hour because of the drop which was announced last month.

Should the cost of living continue to decline at the rate recorded between January 15 and February 15, the GM employes might lose the entire three cent wage increase due them May 29 for increased production standards of the past 12 months. The next change in GM rates will become effective about June 1.

The index of apparel prices declined 0.7 per cent in the Feb. 15 summary. Continued price drops for many articles of cotton, including work clothing, reflected the general cotton market trend.

Further slashes were noted in price of women's nylon hose, rayon house dresses and slips. Prices of men's and women's wool suits were higher in a few cities.

House furnishings averaged 0.5 per cent lower than a month ago. Furniture sales were featured in February all over the country, the Bureau of Labor statistics said. The bureau felt that reflected plentiful supplies and consumer resistance.

Residential rents advanced 0.2 per cent from mid-January to mid February and 0.9 per cent for the three months ending Feb. 15. Advances were reported in all 12 cities surveyed in November and February, ranging from 0.2 per cent in Washington to 1.5 per cent in Atlanta.

In the miscellaneous items there was not much change, although automobiles were higher and laundry and toilet soap lower.

Blizzard in Idaho

ALBION, Idaho, March 24—(AP)—A blizzard as bad as any during the winter isolated this southern Idaho town today. Drifts three to four feet deep blocked the road from Albion to Declo.

Ship Blasted by A Water Mine

BULLETIN

HONG KONG, Friday, March 25—(AP)—The ship, Miss Orient, carrying 500 passengers, was blasted by a big water mine today on her way from Canton to Hong Kong.

The number of casualties was undetermined.

Ship owners reported they had received threatening letters demanding money.

A customers cruiser and other river boats were standing by to take off passengers.

The ship was blasted in Eliot passage.

(Available detailed maps of the area show no passage by that name. There are numerous passages on the waterway that winds 90 miles or so northwestward from Hong to Canton.)

More Threats Are Reported

Made in Gambling Issue Prosecutor Been Informed

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 24—(AP)—Additional threats were reported today in what appeared to be a struggle for control of gambling in Buchanan county.

One of the threats was reported by Prosecutor O. R. Newcomer. He said one of his clerks, Louis Jacobs, had been told by an anonymous telephone caller to "lay off" law enforcement activities.

Another was received by an unidentified music box operator. Chief of Police J. Cory Keller, who declined to disclose the man's name, said the operator was threatened with death unless he removed his music machines from rural Buchanan county taverns.

The two threats followed one received yesterday by Mrs. Fannie Curry and her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Moore. They operated the Red Clock tavern, two miles east of the city, which burned down with a $75,000 loss.

Mrs. Moore said the caller told her: "You thought you were treated rough before. Well, it'll be worse next time."

Mrs. Curry said the tavern burned after she had declined the offer of a man to "rent" her a music box and in turn receive slot machine privileges when the time came.

Believes Fire Incendiary

The woman operator expressed the belief the fire was incendiary. Today Prosecutor Newcomer said he, too, believed the fire was set, but declined to give his reasons.

The threats of the past 24 hours here were the first reported in several months.

Last December after the St. Joseph News-Press published an article rumors that gamblers were planning to open up, editor Arthur V. Burrowes received a telephone call. The caller threatened to use "a pineapple" against his house unless his newspapers quit calling attention "to that gambling stuff."

Earlier this week Prosecutor Newcomer ordered slot machines removed from private clubs. He also ordered an end to all gambling in the city as well as the county, explaining that he considered the city without a police board. Three members of the board have submitted their resignations, but no action on them has been taken by Gov. Forrest Smith.

Retail Merchants To Meet Next Thursday

The Retail Merchants Committee will have a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce office at 10:00 o'clock Thursday morning, March 31, at 10:00 o'clock.

In addition to the regular business meeting a report of the parking committee will be made and also a report for the Forty-Niners committee.

UMW Representative Dies After Operation

ST. LOUIS, March 24—(AP)—William J. Sneed, 65, an international representative of the United Mine Workers and one of John L. Lewis' chief troubleshooters, died today in a St. Louis hospital. He underwent an operation for cancer yesterday.

He lived at Herrin, Ill., where he started as a coal miner 40 years ago. Sneed was president of the Illinois district of the U. M. W. from 1932-35.

Laurence Oliver Gets the Academy Award on 'Hamlet'

HOLLYWOOD, March 24—(AP) Laurence Oliver won the academy award tonight for the best male acting performance of 1948 for his role of "Hamlet" in the J. Arthur Rank British production.

Jane Wyman won the best actress award for her deaf mute part in "Johnny Belinda."

John Huston was named the best director for "The Treasure of Sierra Madre."

Oliver was not present to receive his award. Miss Wyman declared: "I accept this award very gratefully for keeping my mouth shut once. I think I'll do it again."

"Hamlet," which won several minor awards, also was adjudged the best picture of the year.

The veteran Walter Huston won the Oscar for the best male supporting performance of the year for "The Treasure of Sierra Madre", directed by his son, John. He played a grizzled gold prospector, pal of Humphrey Bogart and Tim Holt.

Claire Trevor, another veteran, won the best supporting actress award for her trampish role as Edward G. Robinson's girl friend in "Key Largo."

Adolph Zukor, a pioneer in movies, won a special award for his service to the industry over 40 years. Sid Grauman, called a "master showman who raised the standards of motion pictures" in the presentation speech by academy president Jean Hersholt, won another special award. Said the white-haired Grauman: "When I have my 35th (sic) birthday, I'll look back and say they didn't forget me."

Producer Walter Wanger won a special trophy "for distinctive service adding stature to the industry for his picture, Joan of Arc." Wanger said "I can accept this only in the name of my partners, "Miss Ingrid Bergman and Victor Fleming."

Gunmen Slay Manager of a Country Club

W. C. Rimann Shot Down at Kansas City on Thursday

KANSAS CITY, March 24—(AP)—Two gunmen today killed a prominent country club manager and tavern owner in what officials said was a carefully-planned murder.

Wolf C. Rimann, 43, manager of the Hillcrest Country Club, was cut down by five bullets as he started to enter his motor car in a downtown industrial district.

Police said an earlier attempt on Rimann's life failed when his car was forced into a filling station entrance Monday night.

The golf club manager owned interests in several taverns. He was a steadily growing operator in music box machines and shuffleboard equipment, and recently entered the wholesale liquor business.

As a special deputy sheriff, Rimann sometimes carried a gun, acquaintances said. But he was unarmed at the time of the slaying and no weapons was found in his car.

Witnesses said Rimann had left a furniture company office and was stepping into his car when a black car pulled alongside.

Two men carrying pistols jumped out and poured five bullets into the victim's body, then leaped back into the black car, driven by a third man, and sped away.

Killers' Car Found Empty

Five witnesses gave police the license number of the killers' car, and it was found shortly afterward about 34 blocks away, empty.

Gun Case Empty

Police said they found a secret button in the ash tray of the car. The button was connected to a large siren. In a secret compartment behind the back seat was a large metal gun case. It was empty.

The license number was traced to an address which police said was a bartenders' union, but officers found no trace of the license owner.

Henry H. Fox, Jr., prosecuting attorney, said the slaying bore evidence of being carefully planned. An earlier report of a robbery motive was largely discredited by officers.

A friend of Rimann's, Marty Graham, told police Rimann had drawn between $20,000 and $25,000 from a bank earlier today. He said Rimann had expected to complete a deal for the purchase of a Twelfth street tavern.

However, police said an investigation showed Rimann only deposited a $2,500 check to his account in his visit to the bank today.

Police said only $183 was found on Rimann's body.

A. J. Stephens, manager of the furniture company, said Rimann had brought in a chair to be repaired, and appeared to be in good spirits.

"I walked with him to the top of the stairs," Stephens said "then came back to my office x x x we heard four shots."

Stephens' secretary, Mrs. Lottie Galloway, standing by the window, gasped:

"My God, they're shooting."

"I saw Wolf fall forward into his car," Stephens said, "and then one of the gunmen fired at him again. Then the two ran and jumped in the black car."

Knew Of No Threats

Sheriff J. A. Purdome, a close friend of the victim, said he knew of no threats on Rimann's life. The sheriff said he believed Rimann would have told him if there were.

Rimann was born in Waterloo, Ia., but lived here most of his life. He had been identified with golf here for 29 years. Before he became manager of the Country Club he was a golf pro and at one time was known as the youngest pro in Kansas City.

He was married and had one son, Rex, 20, a Junior College student.

Rex said he had started making a round of collections from his father's juke boxes after school today when he heard of the shooting.

Fail to Block Marshall Plan

By Roger D. Greene

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) told the Senate today a Moscow-dictated conspiracy to torpedo the Marshall plan for European recovery has been "all but stopped in its tracks."

Pleading for extension of the multi-billion dollar aid program through another year, Vandenberg declared "current Moscow hysteria" toward the recovery program is clear proof of its success.

"It was fresh air in the lungs of liberty," Vandenberg cried dramatically. "It drove despair from the souls of men."

And now, he said, Moscow's fears are "being realized—and so are our hopes."

Senator Kem (R-Mo) and Jenner (R-Ind) objected that American funds are being used to finance socialistic experiments in England and other nations.

Referring to Britain's Socialized medicine program, Jenner shouted, "they couldn't furnish toupees to the baldheaded gentlemen of England if we weren't suckers enough to sponsor such a damn fool program."

Is Still Backing Wallgren

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—President Truman said today he still is backing former Gov. Mon C. Wallgren of Washington for chairman of the National Security Resources Board.

He told news conference questioners that he has never been known to back down on people he appoints for office.

Wallgren's nomination recently was tabled by the Senate armed services committee.

Mr. Truman was asked about what one newsman said was a report one of the Republicans on the committee might change his mind. The President said he had not heard that.

By "tabling" the nomination, the committee in effect rejected it for an indefinite period.

Atty. General May be Called In Howell Case

If Any State Money Is Involved in Alleged Shortage

JEFFERSON CITY, March 24—(AP)—Gov. Forrest Smith said today he would ask the attorney general to step in if a Howell county treasury shortage involves any state funds.

"So far as I can find out there was no state money involved. It was all school and local money," the governor said.

"But if there is any state money involved I intend to ask the attorney general to step in."

The governor said he had received a letter from a West Plains man saying it was "whispered around" that former treasurer Paul McGoldrick would not be prosecuted if a reported $15,250 shortage is made good.

McGoldrick, a Republican, resigned and yesterday the governor appointed Carol O. Johnson, a Democrat, to replace him.

Informant Not Named

Smith declined to name his informant. He called him "a very influential man—a business man there in town."

"He was protesting about it," the governor added. "He more or less asked me to do something about it."

Smith said he plans to let local officials handle the situation unless state funds are discovered to be missing. A complete report on the audit is to be given the Howell county court Monday, State Auditor W. H. Holmes reported.

At West Plains, Howell County Prosecutor Esco V. Kell said a full investigation into the missing funds in the county treasurer's office is under way.

Prosecutor Took Exception

The prosecutor took exception to a statement by Governor Smith, in which he said he understood the former treasurer would not be prosecuted if the shortage is repaid.

"I certainly did not make any such promise," Kell said. "If evidence of a criminal violation is found, we naturally will prosecute."

McGoldrick has been given until May 2 by the county court to make up the shortage.

Arkansas Co-ed Was Abducted

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., March 24—(AP)—A puzzling abduction and injury of a co-ed had the University of Arkansas campus in a dither tonight. Police are investigating the incident.

The young woman, identified by the university publicity department as attractive Jo Clare Thomas, 23-year-old senior from Clarendon, reported she was abducted last night by two men, struck on the head with a soft drink bottle and released after being held prisoner for several hours. She apparently was not injured seriously.

At a meeting of representatives of organized houses for women students today, the dean of women instructed all co-eds not to go about alone after dark. University officials were disclosed to be considering adding additional night watchmen to the staff and installing more lights about the campus.

Miss Thomas, who was active in States Rights Democrats activities last fall, is in the University infirmary, suffering from bruises on the head and shock.

The university statement quoted her as saying that she apparently was a victim of mistaken identity.

Police Chief Pearl Watts declined comment other than that his department is conducting an inquiry.

Miss Thomas was active in sponsoring the appearance here last year of Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, presidential nominee of the States Rights Democrats.

Lewis Orders Miners Back to Work Monday

PITTSBURGH, March 24—(AP)—John L. Lewis today ordered his 463,000 idle coal miners to return to work Monday.

An executive order to district officers said:

"The present memorial period will terminate Monday, March 28. Production may then be resumed in all mines and all members should make themselves available for work on that date."

Another Shakeup By Soviets

Vasilevsky Is Made Minister Of Armed Forces Of the Russians

LONDON, March 24—(AP)—The Moscow radio announced tonight Marshall Nikolai A. Bulganin has been relieved as minister of the armed forces of the Soviet Union.

He has been succeeded by Marshal Alexander M. Vasilevsky, the broadcast said.

Belganin is also a vice chairman of the Council of Ministers of the Soviet Union, and presumably will retain that job As such he is a deputy prime minister.

Vasilevsky has been Bulganin's chief deputy minister of the armed forces of the Soviet Union. He succeeds his chief in the new post.

Vasilevsky had been relieved of his duties as chief of the general staff of the Russian army last November, but was retained as deputy minister of the armed forces.

Throughout the war Prime Minister Stalin was minister of the armed forces. He gave up that job in March, 1947, and Bulganin was appointed to take his place. Vasilevsky has been deputy minister of the armed forces since the same year.

Forced To The Top

Marshal Vasilevsky, regarded as a protege of Prime Minister Stalin, is a member of a group of young Russian officers who forged to the top in the hard school of the last war.

His swift rise is due in part to his work at the Russian Stalingrad and Voronezh fronts. Vasilevsky rose four ranks between 1941 and 1945—from major general, the lowest general rank in the Red army, to marshall.

He was commander of the third White Russian army which cleaned up the German pocket in East Prussia as the Russians moved on Berlin.

At the same time he was, during the critical period of the war, one of the six or seven members of Stalin's supreme command which mapped overall strategy.

In the first world war he was drafted for military service in the Czar's army, serving in a Cossack regiment. His career since the Russian revolution is similar to that of many other military leaders.

Bulganin began his career as a banker. He served as chairman of the state bank of the U. S. S. R., and then became prominent in military affairs when he was appointed a member of the military council during the defense of Moscow in 1941.

In the role of minister of the armed forces, he exercised supervision over millions of men and rubles.

He first came into prominence politically when he succeeded Daniel Soulimoff as premier of the Russian Socialist Federated Soviet Republic in 1937.

In March, 1947, Bulganin became a vice-chairman of the council of ministers — deputy prime minister; the same month he became minister of the armed forces, and he was promoted from general to marshall in November, 1947.

Truman Work Dawn to Dusk

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—President Truman today swept his April calendar clear of all out-of-town engagements and announced a daylight-to-dark work schedule, apparently aimed mainly at getting his legislative program through Congress.

With much of that program facing an uncertain fate on capitol hill, the President disclosed at a news conference that he will be seeing many legislators in the days ahead. He also will be busy, he said, clearing up business accumulated during his Florida vacation.

The President cancelled the last two of four speeches he had set for April. Those called off today were to have been made April 10 and 23 at the United Nations cornerstone laying and at a dinner honoring Dr. Chaim Weizmann, president of Israel, both in New York.

On hearing of the President's decision, U. N. officials at Lake Success postponed the cornerstone laying indefinitely.

Previous presidential speeches called off were those set for April 1 at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology mid-century convocation and April 26 at Boston college.

Mr. Truman told his news conference today that the House had taken a constructive, forward-looking step in recommitting the veterans' pension bill.

Woodland Hospital Notes

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. James Cook, 515 North Prospect avenue and Mrs. John Standard, 1611 South Lamine avenue.

Dismissed: Mrs. Lacy Odneal, Bunceton.

GOP Select Ticket At Convention

Pass Resolution Recommending Congress Select SAAF For Academy

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

City Councilmen

First Ward
Leroy H. Hodges
Second Ward
Richard Keenan
Third Ward
Truman J. McMillen
(Short term)
Sherman H Meyer
Fourth Ward
Harry Spillers

City Attorney
No candidate nominated

Member of School Board
J. Roy Fullerton

The Republican city convention elected candidates to run for office in the city election, April 5, to fill vacancies which expire this spring at their meeting in the Assembly Room of the court house, Saturday night.

Carl G. Schrader called the meeting to order, and was unanimously elected as chairman, and H. M. Young as secretary, read the roll call of delegates.

The chairman appointed the following committees: Members of the committee on Credentials were T. H. Yount, John Hughes, Glenn Knell, Guy Peabody.

Members of the committee on organization and order of business were: W. D. Smith, Mrs. Fredonia Kingsbury, L. L. Studer, Carl Urban. The Resolutions committee was: Miss Hazel Palmer, chairman, Paul Hausam, and Richard Keenan.

The delegates adjourned to their respective ward caucuses, and when they returned a report on credentials was given by T. H. Yount.

Nominations

The chairman then directed that the body make ratifications and presentation of candidates from each ward. L. H. Hodges, 1503 West Third street, was presented for ratification as candidate for councilman from the First ward by L. L. Studer.

Richard Keenan, 1413 East Fourth street, was nominated and accepted for councilman from the Second ward to succeed himself by Guy Brownfield.

Carl Urban, by unanimous vote of the Third ward, nominated Truman J. McMillin, 802 East Ninth street, for short term for councilman from the Third ward, and Urban presented for ratification as candidate for councilman for a long term from the Third ward, Sherman H. Meyer, 2003 East Broadway.

For Fourth ward councilman, Chester Wolfe, presented Harry Spillers, 1507 South Barrett avenue, for ratification.

Members of the city committee for each precinct were then selected for one year. They were: First ward: Amos Schroder, Mrs. Larry Siebert; second precinct, T. H. Yount, Mrs. Fred Rose; third precinct; J. T. Ferrell, and Mrs. Opal C. Valentine.

Second ward: Dick Keenan, Mrs. H. D. Malone, second precinct; Mrs. George Ray, and Mrs. Wilma Johnson; third precinct, Glenn Knell, Mrs. Vernie Engholm.

Third ward: Carl Urban, Mrs. Herman Berger; second precinct; H. M. Young, Mrs. Jess Tuggle, third precinct; none elected; fourth precinct, Oliver Garrett, Mrs. F. M. Hatfield; fifth precinct, A. E. Brockman, Mrs. Earl Lugen.

Fourth ward: First precinct, A. L. Wilson, Mrs. George Wilson; second precinct, E. W. Schultz, Mrs. S. W. James; third precinct, Christine Landmann, Chester Wolfe; fourth precinct, Guy Peabody, and Mrs. E. L. Overmier; fifth precinct, Mrs. Carl J. Meyer and W. D. Smith.

No City Attorney Candidate

The convention did not elect a candidate for city attorney. Chester Wolfe was nominated, but declined. Mr. Wolfe said that he appreciated the delegates' confidence but for personal reasons, and private business, he said he could not run.

J. Roy Fullerton, 912 West Seventh street, was nominated for member of the school board to succeed himself. He was nominated by acclamation.

Endorse Air Field Site

A report of the Resolutions committee was given by Miss Hazel Palmer, chairman, submitted by Guy Brownfield, S. C. Hoffman, Paul Hausam and Miss Hazel Palmer, which endorsed the selection of the Sedalia Army Air Field as the site upon which an Air Academy of the United States shall be established.

Carl Urban made a motion that the party cancel out precinct meetings and go back to ward meetings. He said there were not enough people attending as it is now, and that ward meetings would develop a better organization. After several pros and cons were presented by approximately ten people, Mr. Urban withdrew his motion.

Following all the nominations and business matters, each of the elected candidates was introduced and spoke briefly in behalf of their candidacy.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Alson L. Cornelius and Polly Joan Farris, both of Sedalia.

Edgar Mitchell, Houstonia, and Oleta June Leggiero, Sedalia.

Talmadge Eugene Thomas, Otterville, and Betty Louise Beymer, Sedalia.

BIRTHS

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Enig, Route 2, Knob Noster, at 5:25 o'clock Saturday morning, at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Six pounds, 14 ounces.

Mrs. Herbert Seifert, Red Cross worker, is shown taking a layette to a home where a young mother, has two small children, one two and one-half years old, the other a year and a half old and a third expected in June. The Red Cross layette is complete for the new baby. (Photo by Glenn McVey).

Easter Seal Sale This Week

The 1949 Easter Seal sale, which starts in this county this week, will make it possible to carry forward service to crippled children which has been developed over a period of twenty-two years, Archer O'Reilly, Jr., president of the Missouri Society for Crippled Children and Adults, said in releasing the Society's twenty-second annual report.

An objective of $185,000 for the state-wide seal sale has been set.

Sixty-eight County Committees for Crippled Children reported individual services to 1146 crippled children and 275 adults during the past year: In the same period, county committees gave financial assistance to 742 children and 97 adults.

Among the direct services rendered by county societies is the purchase of equipment for schools, clinics and hospitals; providing for transportation for children going to hospitals or clinics; purchase of braces, wheel chairs, other appliances; sharing of costs of therapists in stations giving direct services to children.

"These county services are paid for by Easter Seal Funds," Mr. O'Reilly explained. "After expenses are paid sixty percent of money raised in the Easter Seal sale remains in the county in which it is raised and 40% supports the statewide services of the Missouri society, available to all counties."

The Rev. J. Fred King is chairman of the seal sale in Pettis county.

Legion Post 16 Had A Party

The American Legion Post 16, entertained at a party Friday night at the Legion home 114½ East Fifth street.

The occasion was to celebrate the 30th birthday of the American Legion. Mrs. William F. Brown spoke on "Americanism."

Miss Barbara Brown presented two vocal numbers, accompanied by Miss Wilma Schilb. Miss Barbara Dougherty gave a tap dance number.

Bill Schwenk played several accordian numbers and Miss Shirley Kirkpatrick played a violin solo "Irish Medley."

Mrs. George Chambers was in charge of the program. She presented Mrs. Harry Estill, seventh district president of the auxiliary. Mr. Estill and their daughter, of Fayette, accompanied Mrs. Estill. Mrs. Chambers also presented E. Glenn Lewis, commander of Post 16, who made a short talk, and thanked the auxiliary for the party. During the evening the officers of No. 16 lighted the candles on the birthday cake and made a wish for their organization.

Refreshments were served by the committee composed of Mrs. Homer Hall, Mrs. Tom Soter, Mrs. Dale Waite, Mrs. A. E. Duff, Mrs. F. B. Piper, was general chairman in charge of arrangements and was assisted by Mrs. L. V. Morris and Mrs. H. W. Meyers. There were about 125 members present.

Club Help To Polish Family

The Georgetown Homemakers club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. R. A. Malone, with Mrs. Emma Meier and Mrs. W. W. Dittmer, assisting hostesses. Visitors present were: Mrs. Cecil Owens, Mrs. Charles Plumlee, Mrs. H. Smiley, Mrs. R. D. Quigley, Mrs. Keith Bohon. At the noon hour a contributive dinner was served.

Mrs. J. P. Dunham, president, conducted the business meeting, which was opened by all singing, "A Song of Peace." Roll call was answered with a household hint. A letter of thanks to the club from a family in Poland was read by Mrs. A. Runge. The club will continue for another year to send packages to this family.

Members were asked to bring their donations to the April meeting. Mrs. Meier and Mrs. Malone gave out literature on home canning and talked on food demonstrations they had attended. The meeting was closed with the singing of, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling."

The club will meet on April 20 at the home of Mrs. W. D. Dunham.

Elwood Embry Dies in Wreck Near Columbia

M-Sgt. From Wis. Also Killed; Collision On Friday Night

Elwood Embry, 21, 800 East Fifth street, and Master Sergeant A. D. Muck, 38, Spring Valley, Wis., were killed and six other persons injured, none seriously, about 11:45 o'clock Friday night, in a motor car collision six miles west of Columbia on U. S. Highway 40.

Most seriously hurt among the passengers was Mrs. Muck who suffered a fractured arm, a fractured ankle and a severe head cut. The couple's son, Robert, aged eight, suffered leg injuries and bruises.

Riding in the car with Embry were Lloyd Holman, 20, route 5, Sedalia, Clay Blaylock, 20, and his brother, Jack Blaylock, 18, of Beaman and Virgil R. Creech, 19, Troy, Mo.

All were taken to the Boone county hospital in Columbia. Lloyd Holman has a broken left arm and bruises over his right eye. Clay Blaylock complained of an injury to his right ribs, has scratches on his face, and an injury to his left knee. Both returned to Sedalia Saturday afternoon.

Remained in Hospital

Jack Blaylock, still a patient in the hospital, has a gash over his right eye, both wrists sprained, and a small gash on the back of his head. Creech, who remained in the hospital, has a cut on his chin and his front teeth were knocked out.

Embry was driving a 1942 Dodge coupe. With him were the Blaylock brothers and Holman and they picked up Creech, a sailor, near the edge of Sedalia, and were driving him to his home in Troy. Most of the occupants of the car were asleep when the collision occurred.

The Muck family was enroute to Kansas City to visit relatives, from Camp Breckenridge, Ga., where Sgt. Muck was stationed.

An inquest into the accident was held Saturday morning by Dr. Harry Griffith, of Columbia, Boone county coroner.

Born in Beaman, Mo.

Leonard Elwood Embry was born near Beaman, Mo., October 12, 1927.

He has lived all of his life in the Beaman and Sedalia communities with the exception of the time he was in the army.

He was graduated from the Olive Branch School and attended the Smithton High school.

He was inducted into the army at Ft. Leavenworth April 16, 1946. He served nineteen months in the army, thirteen months in Tokyo and was honorably discharged September 30, 1947.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Embry, 800 East Fifth street; one half-brother, Ray Embry, Denver, Colo., who will arrive in Sedalia today; one half-sister, Mrs. Truman Embree, Las Crusas, New Mexico; his grandfather, E. R. Wood, Sedalia.

Funeral services will be held at the East Sedalia Baptist church at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church, will officiate.

Interment will be in the Salem Cemetery.

The body will be brought to Sedalia this morning and taken to the Ewing Funeral Home.

Divorce Cases In Circuit Court

Two divorces were granted in Circuit Court Saturday by Judge Dimmit Hoffman. A divorce to Edna Mae Duncan from Dr. Byron L. Duncan. The plaintiff alleged general indignities and received restoration of her maiden name Edna Mae Kirchhofer.

A divorce to Mildred Nicholson from Ralph Nicholson, and awarded $25 for the support of their minor child.

A divorce was filed by Barbara Hall from George Hall, in which petition was alleged general indignities.

The Halls were married August 25, 1923 and separated in October, 1939. Palmer and Palmer are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Action Taken At PTA Board On Proposals

Three Sedalians Attend Meeting in Jefferson City

The Board of Managers of the Missouri Congress of Parents and Teachers, at its mid-year meeting in Jefferson City Thursday and Friday, went on record as favoring a number of proposals concerning schools, now before the legislature; heard the announcement of the award of teacher education scholarships to seven prospective teachers in the elementary public schools of Missouri; and chose a nominating committee to submit nominations at the state convention, to be held in Joplin October 11-13.

Members of the Board of Managers from Sedalia who attended the meeting were Mrs. M. E. Green, chairman of juvenile protection; Mrs. Verney Engholm, president of the Sedalia District, and Mrs. Wilfred C. Lee, publicity chairman.

Approved Resolution

The board approved senate joint resolution number 3, which submits a constitutional amendment making possible the passing of levies for current school purposes by a majority vote; and also approved house joint and concurrent resolution number 3 doubling the bonding capacity of school districts for school building purposes.

Senate Bill 17, which makes it a crime to molest children on their way to and from school, was endorsed, in principle, as was a bill requiring traffic to stop on highways when meeting or passing school busses that are loading and unloading school children.

Scholarship Winners

The following persons have been chosen, on the basis of character and personality, scholarship record, aptitude for teaching, and sound health, to receive the four year teacher education scholarships: Frances Willis, North Kansas City, who plans to attend Missouri University; Mary C. Brookhart, Lewistown,, Betty Lynn Clark, Odessa, who plans to attend C.M.S.C. at Warrensburg; Jo Verna Bradford, Monett, who plans to attend S.T.C. at Springfield; and Glee Alice Cleveland, Flat River.

Miss Barbara Calder, Holt, and Mrs. Lillie M. Strain, Grant City, were chosen to receive short term teacher education scholarships for summer school. Other short term scholarships may be awarded later. Announcement of the awards was made by Mrs. True Davis, St. Joseph, chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Caroline B. Ullman Student Loan Fund, which grants the scholarships.

Nominating Committee

Members of the nominating committee, which will submit nominations at the state convention for president, first vice-president, second vice-president, and treasurer, were selected as follows: Dr. Jack Matthews, Columbia; Mrs. R. W. Gapford, Kansas City; Mrs. Charles S. Lechler, St. Joseph; Mrs. Albert H. Toma, St. Louis; and Mrs. M. A. Marvel, Poplar Bluff.

"Patterns for Living" was chosen as the theme for the convention.

Mrs. Otto Eisenstein of Warrensburg, president of the Missouri Congress, presided at the meeting, which was attended by thirty-eight officers, committee chairmen, and district president from all parts of the state.

Group of Senior High School Girls Have Dance

An informal dance in the Ambassador Room of Hotel Bothwell was given by a group of senior girls from Smith-Cotton high school between the hours of nine and twelve o'clock Saturday night.

The dance was attended by juniors and seniors from Smith-Cotton and the music was furnished by a juke box.

The students who gave the dance were Misses Sue Harris, Yvonne Bohon, Ethyle Starke, Jean Swegles, and Ella Dee Runge.

The chaperones for the dance were the parents of the hostesses.

Orchid Fresh For Three Years

A reminder of her happiness on her fiftieth wedding anniversary is a purple orchid still fresh after almost three years, which Mrs. Ida Alexander was given by her husband, A. A. Alexander, on the occasion.

Mrs. Alexander wore the orchid all day June 24, 1946, the anniversary. She then placed the orchid in a corsage box and placed it in the refrigerator at the Alexander home at 3423 Bellefontaine avenue, Kansas City.

Aside from a few brown spots about the edges, Mrs. Alexander finds the orchid still in good condition with her fifty-third anniversary only several months away. She has worn the flower, however, only the one time.

Mrs. Alexander was formerly Miss Ida Ferguson, of Houstonia, and the marriage over a half century ago to Mr. Alexander, also of that place was

Real Estate Transfers

George K. McFarland and Benjamin W. Haines and wife to Charles Riley, Jr., and Dorothy L. Riley, SWD 180 acres of land, more or less in Dresden Township—$1.00 and other consideration.

Nora E. Thompson to Lyman M. and Allie Dell Littlefield, WD property at southwest corner of Fourth street and Babcock avenue—$1.00 and other consideration.

Oscar D. Aldredge and wife to E. P. and Cora E. Harms, WD property on east side of Quincy avenue between Eleventh and Fourteenth street—$1.00 and other consideration.

Ione Dyer to Edmund Guier and Dorena Guier, husband and wife and their survivors and Charles W. Guier and Ida Ann Guier, husband and wife, and their survivor, WD 80 acres of land, more of less, in Blackwater Township—$1.00 and other consideration.

Tom E. Ware and wife to Ira M. White and Dorothy E. White, WD property in Crescent Hill Addition, south of Broadway and East of Emmett avenue — $1.00 and other consideration.

Kathryn Craig and husband to Mercel C. and Mildred F. Lamb, WD property on north side of Fifth street between Lafayette and railroads — $1.00 and other consideration.

Charles G. Richey and wife to James W. Richey, WD undivided one half interest in 110 acres of land, more ar less in Dresden Township—$1.00 and other consideration.

Laurence L. Ream and wife and Harold H. Ream and wife to R. T. and Rosa L. Mosley, WD property in the town of Green Ridg—$1.00 and other consideration.

Virgil D. Schumaker and wife to William M. and Mildred L. Rogers, WD property on south side of Niuth street between Summit and Engineer avenues—$1.00 and other consideration.

William R. Starr and wife to Paul S. and Bernice C. Ginn, WD property in Crescent Hill Addition, south of Broadway and east of Emmett avenue—$1.00 and other consideration.

E A. Smith and wife to J. B. and Hattie E. Hutchison, WD 14 acres of land, more or less, in Sedalia Township—$1.00 and other consideration.

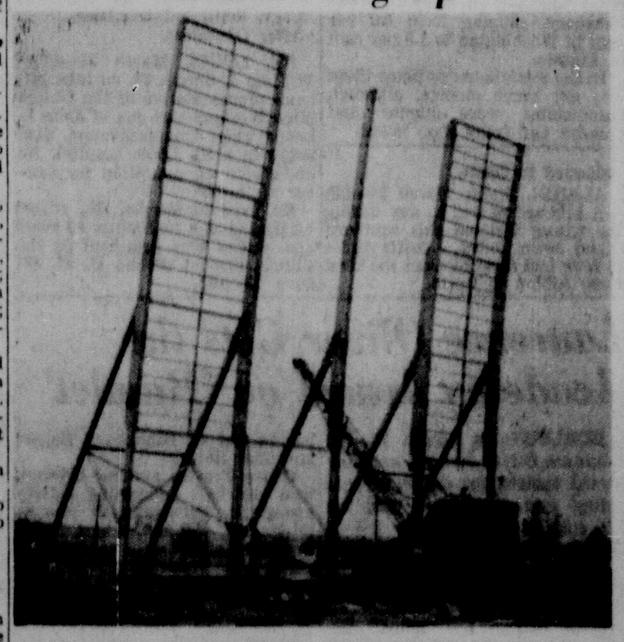
Paul S. Ginn and wife to Clifford J. and Dorothy L. Barr, WD property on west side of Barrett avenue, between Eighteenth and Twentieth streets—$1.00 and other consideration.

Laura V. Brown, Stella B. Smith and husband, Mary George and husband, Edna DeLavey and husband, Ruby Hutchins and husband, Alma Wilbur and husband, Laura Scott and husband, Helen Conley and husband and J. E. Brown and wife to J. L. and Lucy G. DeHaven, WD 80 acres of land, more or less, in Lake Creek Township—$1.00 an dother consideration.

Emmett L. Pullman and wife to Bird H. and Bertye Lee Campbell, WD property on north side of Broadway, between Arlington and Garfield avenues—$1.00 and other consideration.

Chris R. Bergman and wife to Kenneth W. and Geraldine Balke, WD property at southwest corner of Sixteenth street and Washington avenue—$1.00 and other consideration.

Drive-In Theatre Going Up



The highway fifty Drive-In Theater that is being erected on a 15-acre tract, west of town, at the apex of Main street road and highway 50, is nearing completion. The Hogan Construction company has been working during the cold weather and expects to have the theater completed by the latter part of April.

This new Drive-In Theater will be one of the more modern theaters in this part of the country. The screen tower is sixty-five feet high and will receive a projected screen image of forty by sixty feet. There are one hundred yards of concrete used in the screen base and is so constructed to withstand winds up to one hundred miles an hour.

Sound for the movies will reach the patrons by means of "in car speakers." Over nine thousand feet of cable are being used to connect these speakers that will service a five hundred car capacity audience.

Facilities for the convenience of the patrons will include a children's playground, refreshment booth and landscaped grounds.

This theater is being erected by the Sedalia Drive-In Theater Corporation.

Mayor Hands Statement to Minister

The Rev. C. Arthur Freeberg (left) pastor of the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church and the Rev. D. Warren Neal, pastor of Broadway Presbyterian church, as a committee from the Ministerial Alliance, call on Mayor Julian H. Bagby (center) asking his cooperation in the nation-wide One Great Hour program. He is shown handing Rev. Freeberg the following statement: "I ask the people of Sedalia to listen to the 'One Great Hour' program to be broadcast between 9:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m., CST, Saturday, March 26th, and to cooperate in the movement to follow the next day, whereby churches of the nation are endeavoring to raise over ten million for world relief." Signed, "Julian H. Bagby."

Sweet Springs Won Tourney

The Sedalia Harvesters were outclassed in the Houstonia Double Elimination Tournament, Saturday night in the finals by Sweet Springs by a score of 56-45.

Sweet Springs took first, Sedalia, second, Hughesville third, and Houstonia fourth. La Monte Merchants won over Green Ridge for consolation winners.

The Sweet Springs team took the lead and kept it nearly through the game. Sedalia was ahead only once and that was in the second quarter. The intermission score was 25-23 in favor of Sweet Springs.

Sedalia hit for nine points out of 18 for free throws and had 22 fouls called. Sweet Springs tallied 12 out of 22 shots, fouled eleven times during the game.

Gilmore with his deadly shooting of 25 points was the team member who gave Sedalia the most trouble. Mais hit 13 points for high point man for Sedalia. Other Sedalia members scoring were: Parker 10, Whitfield, 11, Dowdy 2, Riley 3, and Morris 4.

Schelp 10, Kueck 7, Crowder 3, Thomas 2, Kurtz 2, Stober 3, and Bohath with one point were the other scorers for Sweet Springs.

Out of Window After Car Upset

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Liebeck, and their two children of New Cambria, Mo., crawled through a rear window of their automobile, uninjured after the car dived off the pavement and flipped over on its top, Friday morning shortly before noon on highway 65, about 10 miles south of Sedalia.

The family was heading toward Sedalia in a 1947 Plymouth sedan. Mr. Liebeck told highway patrolmen that he hit a slick spot on the pavement of the highway, and that he lost control of the car, causing it to roll over into a ditch and landing top side down.

The wrecked car was towed to the Bryant Motor company, Second street and Kentucky avenue. The top and right side of the vehicle was repaired that afternoon, and the Liebeck family continued on their way.

Jane Boul Wins Spelling Bee

Jane Boul, daughter of Mr. and Mhs. C. L. Boul, of 620 West Third street, won first place in a spelling bee given as part of a program at Sacred Heart high school, Friday night. Margie Cavanaugh won second place honors, and Claude Boul, Jr., a brother of the winner, was third.

The first and second place girls, both sophomores, won over contestants from all four years of high school. Among those who remained standing longest were Mary Ann Xuhlman, Eileen Coffey and Tom Keating, Jr.

Also on the program were several musical numbers. The high school glee club sang "Sundown," and the band, with John Handley directing, played two numbers. Handley also played a trumpet solo, "Ain't Misbehavin'."

A choral reading, "Song of the Mystic," was presented by four freshman girls, and a skit, "Vocation Room," was presented by the girls speech class.

Loyal Rebekah Lodge Met Friday Afternoon

Loyal Rebekah Lodge No. 260 held the regular business meeting Friday at the Odd Fellow Hall.

The business meeting was held followed by the social hour during which time games were played and a violin solo given by Miss Shirley Kirkpatrick accompanied by Mrs. Frank Pieper.

Refreshments were served by the March committee: Mrs. Jesse Truman, Miss Margaret Starkey, Mrs. Virgil Tucker, Mrs. Mary Strickler, Mrs. Jack Meyer.

Mrs. C. H. Bard Will Filed

The will of Mrs. Anna M. Bard, widow of the late Charles H. Bard, who died last Wednesday, has been filed in Probate court by her niece, Mrs. Patsy Lamm Kahrs. Mrs. Kahrs was appointed executrix of the estate by Judge J. E. Smith.

The estate was left to her sister, Mrs. Edna Mertz Carman, Rochester, New York, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Lillie Bard Antwerp, Talladega, Florida, and nine nieces and nephews.

The will was made September 11, 1948.

Just Town Talk

A SEDALIA Woman
REACHED UP
IN HER Home
THE OTHER Day
TO KNOCK Down
A COBWEB
AS SHE Did So
SHE GLANCED At
THE TOP Of
THE CURTAINS
AND DECIDED
THEY WERE
SO DIRTY She'd
TAKE THEM Down
AND WASH Them
WHICH SHE Did
THEN THE Window
AND WOODWORK Around
WEREN'T CLEAN
ENOUGH FOR Those
CLEAN CURTAINS
SO THEY Had
TO BE Washed
AND THE Result Was
SHE SPENT The
WHOLE DAY
CLEANING THE Room
AND ALL Because
SHE STARTED
TO KNOCK Down
A COBWEB
I THANK YOU

Looking Backward

• Forty Years Ago

Republican candidates for aldermen were ratified Saturday night at a convention held at the court house as follows: First ward, J. M. Brown; Second ward, J. H. Sullivan; Third ward, A. L. Pringle and Fourth ward, A. W. McKenzie.

Lee Garvin, a former catcher for the Sedalia Goldbugs, will play with Shreveport, La., in the Southern league this season. He has been spending the winter at his home in Lee's Summit.

Sam Kingsbaker, a former Sedalian, now engaged in business in Kansas City, is here for a few days visit with friends and to look after business matters.

An organization styled the Sedalia Rod and Gun club has been formed, its purpose being to promote fishing parties and summer outings. The officers are George D. Riddle, president; James L. Van Wagner, treasurer; Edward Maddox, secretary and Earl McKenzie clerk.

Saturday evening officers of the Sedalia Country club for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Elliott M. Stafford, president; George K. Mackey, vice-president; Wm. Courtney, treasurer and Lee Montgomery secretary.

Sedalia Enters Basketball Meet

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 19—(AP) — Twenty two independent basketball teams from seven states will compete in the annual Independent Basketball Association of America opening here Monday.

Back to defend the title it won last year will be Conway, Mo., as well as Stover, Mo., the 1948 runner-up and champion in 1947. Another strong contender is Ozark, Mo., which finished as runner-up in the American Basketball Congress tournament at Atlanta, Ga., last week.

Laramie, Wyo., is seeded No 1 for the meet which ends Saturday night, March 26.

Pairings:

Laramie, Wyo. vs. bye.

Springfield, Mo., Harlows vs. Camp Chaffee, Ark., 6 p. m. Monday.

Charleston, Ill., vs. bye.

Clever, Mo., vs. Pineville, Mo., 7:15 p. m. Monday.

Benton, Ky., vs. bye.

Sedalia, Mo., vs. bye.

Jonesboro, Ark., vs. bye.

Ozark, Mo., vs. Kennett, Mo., 8:30 p. m. Monday.

Stover, Mo., vs. bye.

Rolla, Mo., vs. St. Louis Shearer Chevrolet, 9:45 p. m., Monday.

Shelbyville, Ill., vs. bye.

Joplin, Mo., vs. bye.

Jackson, Mich., vs. bye.

Conway, Mo., vs. Kirksey, Ky., 8:30 p. m., Tuesday

Lindlan, Ohio, vs. bye.

Springfield, Mo., Pattons vs. Springfield, Mo., Lions, 6:00 p. m. Tuesday.

Scrap Cars

From 1942 through 1946, only 920,000 motor vehicles were scrapped annually in the United States as compared with 2,350,000 a year before the war.

Democrats Ratify And Nominate

Candidates for City Election to Be Held April 5; Seven to Elect

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

City Councilmen

First Ward
Pete R. Menefee
Second Ward
Walter A. Smethers
Third Ward
Emery L. Ellsworth
(Long Term)
Earl H. Lashley
(Short Term)
Fourth Ward
John Vandekamp

City Attorney
James E. Durley

Member of School Board
Palmer R. Nichols

The Democratic convention was held in the City Council chamber Saturday night at which time the delegates filled the Democratic ticket for the various city offices at stake in the City election on Tuesday, April 5. The entire representation from each ward was present, 100 delegates.

Candidates for the unexpired terms, two city offices, were ratified. William "Bill" Miller of the Third ward delegation took the floor and placed the name of Earl Lashley before the convention for the short term for City Councilman of that ward.

The short term office was due to the resignation of Dr. George W. Peak, who resigned last fall when he left the city.

Frank W. Hayes of the Fourth ward delegation then nominated James E. Durley as the Democratic candidate for city attorney. His name was likewise ratified without opposition.

The vacancy in the office of city attorney resulted from the election of William F. Brown to the office of prosecuting attorney. It was necessary for him to resign the first of the year when he took the new office to which he was elected.

School Board Nominee

Palmer R. Nichols was placed before the convention as the Democratic member of the Sedalia Board of Education. Nichols was nominated by G. O. "Dutch" Hawley, and he was likewise ratified without opposition. If elected he will succeed himself.

In the First ward, S. J. Timborious placed the name of Pete R. Menefee before the convention, for City Councilman.

Second ward, the name of Walter A. Smethers, a former member of the City Council, was placed before the convention by Dewey Guinn.

Third ward, Mr. Miller presented the name of Emery L. Ellsworth before the convention as the councilman candidate for the long or two-year term.

Fourth ward, Henry C. Salveter placed before the convention the name of John Vandekamp as that ward's Councilman candidate.

Following the ratification and nominations of candidates, short talks were made by a number of those present.

The meeting was presided over by D. Kelly Scruton, City Chairman. Miss Alice Scott was secretary of the meeting.

Committeemen and women, it was announced, are to report their selection of judges to Miss Scott today, so the City Council can pass on the selections at the regular meeting of the council Monday night.

Club Meets At McCune Home

The Manila Extension club met at the home of William McCune, Mrs. L. C. Higbee, Spring Fork, as assistant hostess. Roll cal was answered with, "What I can do to help my club," by 23 members.

Mrs. Paul Shipps led the devotional. It was voted that $2.00 be used for Easter Seals, Red Cross, and the Cancer Fund.

The clothing leaders, Mrs. Max Elliott, and Mrs. Hammond gave a demonstration on remodeling clothing. At the April meeting each member is to model her own home-made Easter bonnett.

The next meeting will be held April 20th at the home of Mrs. was answered with amusing "Garden Riddles." It was voted to give a check to the Rural Youth Exchange Program. Plans for a pie supper in April were discussed. Nomah Dean Snow gave the council report, and there was a short discussion. The meeting was then adjourned, and everyone enjoyed singing. Refreshments of cup cakes and green and white ice cream were served on St. Patrick's Day plates with matching napkins.

Methodist Youth Fellowship Meeting

A group of young people of the Methodist Youth Fellowship from Kansas City came to Sedalia Friday evening and held a vesper service that night and a meeting Saturday morning at the First Methodist church. They were: Susan Guthrie, Glenn Benson, Jeraldine Hill, Earlyne Hanna, Jim Lawson and Tom Scahill.

A contributed dinner was held at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening followed by songs, games and work of the Youth Fellowship. The meeting ended with a worship service. The Saturday morning program was devoted to Youth Fellowship work.

The dinner was attended by 120 Methodist young people from the three churches in Sedalia, and churches in Pettis county, Stover and Versailles.

Marriages, Society, Club Activities In And Around Sedalia

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jenkins, 915 East Eleventh street, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Helen Marie, to Mr. Chester Chalfant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chalfant, of Knob Noster. The marriage will take place May 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Langdon, of 1508 East Tenth street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Frances, to Mr. Charles L. Iserhardt, of Washington, D. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Iserhardt, of Lakeland, Fla., which took place March 11 in the study of the First Baptist church in Washington, D. C.

Several friends were present for the ceremony.

Miss Marian Hester Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Jones and the late Mrs. Jones, of La Monte, and Mr. Kenneth Glazebrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Glazebrook, of Knob Noster, were married at the home of the bride, Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The bridal party stood in front of the attractively decorated fireplace and the single ring ceremony was read by the Rev. James D. Sill, of Warrensburg, in the presence of the immediate families.

The bride's choice for her wedding was a navy gaberdine suit with navy and white accessories. Her corsage was an orchid.

Miss Marjorie Glazebrook, sister of the bridegroom, was the bride's only attendant and wore a beige suit with brown accessories. Her corsage was yellow roses.

Mr. Glazebrook was attended by Mr. Eldon E. Jones, brother of the bride.

A reception followed the ceremony. A three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom, centered the dining table, which was covered with a handmade cloth, crocheted by the bride's mother, from which refreshments were served. The cake was flanked with tall white tapers.

The couple left immediately for a short wedding trip and will be at home in Lee's Summit, where the bridegroom is employed.

In an impressive double ring ceremony, Miss Frances Parks, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Parks, 308 North Prospect avenue, and Robert Goldsmith, son of Mrs. L. B. Corson, 1009 South Vermont avenue, were married at 2:00 o'clock on Sunday, March 6, by the Rev. Thomas W. Croxton at his home, 511 West Broadway, with only the immediate families attending.

The ceremony took place in front of the mantel, decorated with white flowers and lighted tapers.

The pianist, Mrs. Thomas W. Croxton, played "Oh Promise Me" and "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" while Miss Wilma Parks, sister of the bride, lighted the tapers. As the bride entered, she played the wedding march and continued playing softly throughout the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, W. L. Parks, wore a light blue suit with navy blue accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses.

The bride's only attendant, Mrs. Clayton Young, wore a pink gabardine suit with navy accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

William R. Lyles, a friend of the bridegroom, served as best man.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, with approximately 70 relatives and friends attending. A four-tiered wedding cake formed the center piece and spring flowers were used throughout the home.

Mrs. Earl Wood, of Appleton City, the bride's aunt, served the cake while Mrs. Howard Taylor of Kansas City and Mrs. Kenneth Chastain, of Sedalia, also aunts of the bride, presided at the punch bowl.

The young couple left immediately for a short wedding trip, after which they will reside at 1411 South Kentucky avenue. The bride, a graduate of Smith Cotton high school, will resume her duties at the Town and Country Shoe Factory, where she has been employed for the past two years. The groom, also a graduate of the Smith Cotton high school, served in the United States Air force for 26 months and is now a co-owner at the Stewart avenue market.

A dinner and game night were held at the Sedalia Country club Thursday evening. Thirty-five reservations were made.

Miss June Cecelia Neiberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Neiberger, 1515 East Fifth street, and Warren Nelson Rennison, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennison, of Smithton, were married at 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, February 18, at the parsonage of the Fifth Street Methodist church. The Rev. H. U. Campbell read the single ring service.

The bride was attired in a light blue suit with which she wore navy accessories and her corsage was of carnations. For something old she wore her great grandmother's gold breastpin.

A reception was given by the bride's parents at their home at 8:00 o'clock that evening, at which there were 22 guests. The table was centered with a wedding cake on which was a miniature bride and bridegroom. Lighted pink tapers and rosebuds were on the bride's table.

Guests at the reception were Rev. and Mrs. H. U. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Caton, Otterville, Mrs. J. H. Rennison and son, Larry, Mrs. J. W. Sublett, Nina, Penny, J. W. and David Sublett, Dixon Neiberger Wayne Neiberger, and Mr. and Mrs. George Wetmore, of Kansas City, uncle and aunt of the bride.

The bride was graduated from the Smith-Cotton high school in the class of 1945 and was formerly at the Inter-State Studio.

Mr. Rennison is a farmer.

A reception and charivari was held at 8:00 o'clock Saturday night, February 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennison.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Cook, of Beaman, Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp and son, John, of Beaman; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cramer, Smithton, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McNulty and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. John Long, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin May, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin May and daughter, Melva, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Cook and son, Gary, all of Smithton; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Caton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Caton, Sam Caton and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wilson, of Otterville, Mrs. Bob Routon and son, Earl, of Syracuse, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennison and sons Vincent and Larry and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rennison, of Smithton.

Winners at the Thursday afternoon Duplicate bridge tournament at the Sedalia Country club were: east and west, Mrs. W. F. Keyser and Mrs. Jack Reeder and north and south, Mrs. J. C. McLaughlin and Mrs. Harold Dean. The tournament was preceded by a luncheon at 12:30 o'clock.

At an extra table of bridge, Mrs. James Darr, Jr., received high score.

Miss June Marie Cantrell, daughter of Mrs. Blanche Cantrell, 1616 West Broadway, became the bride of Pfc. Richard F. Flippin, of the United States Marines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flippin, 1905 South Sneed avenue, at 1:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, March 6. The marriage took place in the Assembly of God church, before an alter setting of baskets of flowers, palms and white candles in tall candelabra. Rev. Bird H. Campbell, pastor of the church, read the double ring service.

Miss Marjorie Liebel, wearing a gray dress with navy accessories and a corsage of white carnations, played the piano. Mrs. Bob Harvey, who was attired in a blue suit, was soloist. Mrs. Harvey sang: "Always" and "I Love You Truly."

As Miss Barbara Smith and Miss Ann Goist, dressed in gowns of green taffeta and wearing corsages of white carnation, lighted the candles, Miss Liebel played "Largo" by Handel.

As the processional she played the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin and as the recessional, Mendelssohn's Wedding March.

The bride, whose grandfather, Mr. George H. Evans, gave her in marriage, chose for her wedding a powder blue wool gabardine suit with navy accessories and her flower was a white orchid.

Miss Betty Smetana, the bride's only attendant, wore a suit of aqua gabardine with accessories of cocoa shade and her corsage was of white carnations.

Pfc. Gene Wells, United States Marine Corps, served as best man.

Miss Betty Sue Martin was hostess at a reception held at 1612 West Broadway. On one end of the bride's table was the three-tier wedding cake decorated with pink roses and silver leaves and topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. At the other end of the table was the punch bowl.

Miss Helen Marie Jenkins, whose engagement is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jenkins, 915 East Eleventh street, today. She will be married May 13th to Mr. Chester Chalfant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chalfant, of Knob Noster. (Cole's Photo.)

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goldsmith, with their attendants, Mrs. Clayton Young and Mr. William R. Lyles, who were married Sunday, March 6, by the Rev. T. W. Croxton at his home, 511 West Broadway. Mrs. Goldsmith was formerly Miss Frances Parks, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Parks, 308 North Prospect avenue. Mr. Goldsmith is the son of Mrs. L. B. Corson, 1009 South Vermont avenue. (Lehmer)

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Nelson Rennison who were married February 18. Mrs. Rennison was formerly Miss June Cecelia Neiberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Neiberger, 1515 East Fifth street. Mr. Rennison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennison, of Smithton. (Lehmer Photo)

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedly, the latter the former Miss Eunice E. Howery, who were married February 22, and their attendants, Miss Irma Lee Mein and Clarence Friedly.

Miss Lenore Elaine Ditzfeld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ditzfeld of La Monte, Mo., whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Louis Griffitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Griffitt, of Sweet Springs, Mo., has been announced by her parents. The wedding will take place April 17.

Miss Ann Goist and Miss Barbara Smith served.

The couple left on a wedding trip to St. Louis after which the bridegroom will return to San Diego, Calif., where he is stationed. His bride will join him there in May after her graduation from the Smith-Cotton high school.

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Beverly Elizabeth Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Brooks, of Berkeley, Cal., and Donald Dean Fulks, son of Mr. ad Mrs. B. L. Fulks, of Latham, Mo., was made recently to a group of friends from Berkeley and San Francisco, Cal., following the arrival of the party of 40 at Pine Crest for a week-end of skiing.

The announcement was made when a large decorated cake was brought in on which there were two miniature skiers and the names "Bev and Don."

The marriage date has been set for June.

The bride is a graduate of Berkeley high school and a member of the 1947 graduating class of the University of California. She is now teaching in the Bakersfield high school.

Mr. Fulks will graduate in June from the San Francisco City college, where he is majoring in chemistry. He is a veteran of World War II and was a prisoner of war in Germany for some time.

Miss Almarie Viebrock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Viebrock, of Sedalia, became the bride of Mr. John L. Horttor, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Horttor, also of Sedalia, in a double ring ceremony at the St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday, February 27th, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The Rev. Walter F. Strickert read the ceremony before a setting of pink gladiolia and calla lilies.

The bride wore a dress of powder blue, with accessories of navy and her corsage was of pink rosebuds. Her only ornament was a strand of pearls.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Irma Lee Mein, who was attired in a dusty rose crepe dress with brown accessories and her corsage was of white roses.

Clarence Friedly served his brother as best man.

Both the bride and bridegroom are graduates of the Cole Camp high school. The bride has been employed at the Bank of Ionia since her graduation and now holds the position of assistant cashier. The bridegroom served three years in the army, 18 months of which were spent overseas in the Pacific theatre. Since returning from service he has been employed as a carpenter and electrician.

At 5:00 o'clock that evening a wedding dinner was given at the home of the bride's parents.

The dining table was centered with a three tier cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom and on either side were white lighted tapers. Place cards were lace doilies with miniature hearts.

Those seated at the dinner table were the bride and bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Friedly, Jr., Miss Irma Lee Mein, Clarence Friedly, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mulling and children, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Pittman, Miss Ella Fern Miller, Leonard Howery, Mr. and Mrs J. D. Friedly and Mr. and Mrs Walter Howery.

Later in the evening a reception was given at which guests numbered approximately 150. Refreshments of ice cream and wedding cake were served.

The couple left the next day on a two weeks wedding trip to New Orleans, La., where they attended the Mardi Gras.

They will make their home in Ionia.

THE Past Presidents Club of the Sedalia Garden Club held a luncheon Saturday noon at the Bothwell hotel.

A business meeting followed the luncheon, at which time plans for the club were made.

Those attending were: Mrs. T. H. Yount, Mrs. L. H. Hodges, Mrs. Fred Kueck, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, Mrs. C. L. Carter, Mrs. J. C. Saunders, Mrs. T. E. Donaldson, Mrs. R. R. Highleyman, Mrs. W. O. Stanley, Mrs. Peter Hoffman, Mrs. Linden L. Jones and Mrs. Lon Leslie.

Mrs. Roland Kroenke was dressed in a lime green dress and wore a corsage of yellow gladioli Miss Ruby Jane Wissman wore a yellow dress and her corsage was of blue gladioli. They were candle lighters in addition to being bridesmaids.

The bride wore a gown of white satin, with lace trimming around the neck, which was in the sweet heart style, and around the sleeves, which came to points over the hands. Her finger-tip veil fell from a lace crown. She carried a white Bible, with a lavender orchid, from which fell white satin streamers.

Mr. Russell Holman, of Sedalia, served the bridegroom as best man and the groomsmen were Mr. Roland Kroenke and Mr. Kenneth Nelson, both of Sedalia, who also served as ushers.

The bride and bridegroom's mothers wore dresses of Navy blue with black accessories and corsages of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

A wedding cake centered the table and the room was decorated with a large bouquet of gladioli and with white candles.

The bride is a graduate of Smith Cotton high school of the class of '47 and attended Central Business college in Sedalia. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Adrian high school, in the class of '46.

The couple will reside in Kansas City.

Miss Eunice E. Howery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howery, became the bride of John D. Friedly, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedly, of Ionia, at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, February 22. The Rev. Ralph E. Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, read the double ring service before a setting of pink gladiolia and calla lilies.

The bride wore a dress of powder blue, with accessories of navy and her corsage was of pink rosebuds. Her only ornament was a strand of pearls.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Irma Lee Mein, who was attired in a dusty rose crepe dress with brown accessories and her corsage was of white roses.

Clarence Friedly served his brother as best man.

Both the bride and bridegroom are graduates of the Cole Camp high school. The bride has been employed at the Bank of Ionia since her graduation and now holds the position of assistant cashier. The bridegroom served three years in the army, 18 months of which were spent overseas in the Pacific theatre. Since returning from service he has been employed as a carpenter and electrician.

At 5:00 o'clock that evening a wedding dinner was given at the home of the bride's parents.

The dining table was centered with a three tier cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom and on either side were white lighted tapers. Place cards were lace doilies with miniature hearts.

Those seated at the dinner table were the bride and bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Friedly, Jr., Miss Irma Lee Mein, Clarence Friedly, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mulling and children, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Pittman, Miss Ella Fern Miller, Leonard Howery, Mr. and Mrs J. D. Friedly and Mr. and Mrs Walter Howery.

Later in the evening a reception was given at which guests numbered approximately 150. Refreshments of ice cream and wedding cake were served.

The couple left the next day on a two weeks wedding trip to New Orleans, La., where they attended the Mardi Gras.

They will make their home in Ionia.

Loyal Sewing Club will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Gano Stearns, 920 West Sixteenth street. A contributed dinner will be served. The remainder of the day will be spent in sewing for the Odd Fellows Home.

Miss Selma Bloess, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Bloess, 1409 West Broadway, is entertaining Miss Betty Ramsey of Parma, Mo., as a week-end guest. Both Miss Ramsey and Miss Bloess are attending the University of Missouri.

The regular 1:00 o'clock luncheon and game day will be held Tuesday afternoon at the Heard Memorial club house.

The Friendship club met at the home of Mrs. Claude Goode, 672 East Fifteenth street, last Thursday for an all day meeting. At the noon hour the following children joined in the noon day luncheon with their mothers: Ray Smith, Nadine Smith, Joyce LeBegue, Gladys LeBegue, Beverly Bremer, Marvin Bremer and Grace Bremer, Marie Christian, Judy Christian, Nola Schutte, Georgie Schutte, Betty Schutte, Jo Haiman, Kenny Holman, Littie Bottcher, Betty Bottcher, Mildred Koeller, Dotty Goode, Claudell Goode and Dela Goode.

The roll call was answered by "A View From My Kitchen Window." How to patch overalls on the sewing machine was shown by Grace Bremer.

A group of household magazines were distributed among the members by Mildred Koeller. A game was played and songs were sung.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. F. A. Schutte, 916 East Fourteenth street.

Mrs. Virginia Rose Moore was initiated into the National Fraternity, Kappa Delta Pi, at CMSC, Warrensburg, on Tuesday night. Kappa Delta Pi is a national scholastic fraternity for mathematic majors.

Mrs. Moore is now working on her Master's Degree.

Miss Gayle Scruton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Scruton has as her house guest for the week-end a Sorority sister, Miss Jo Ann Hopkins, of Kansas City. Miss Scruton and Miss Hopkins are students of Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg.

Osage Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold its March meeting at the home of Miss Jessie Blair, 420 South Grand avenue, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Frazier McVean, of Tipton, Mrs. Dimmitt Hoffman, Mrs. Leonard McClure, Mrs. W. T. Bishop, Mrs. P. L. Strole, Miss Nettie Lamm, Mrs. Elza Berry and Mrs. P. H. Vaughan.

The program for the afternoon will be a book review by Mrs. Thomas W. Croxton. Mrs. Croxton will review the book, "Earthbound" by Reymond S. Dalton.

Last Wednesday night, the Elks Auxiliary met at the Elks home for a St. Patrick's party.

Decorations were in keeping with the season. Songs were sung and the game "Bunco" was played during the evening, with awards going to the following: Mrs. Earl Paxton, Mrs. A. C. Garst, Mrs. Homer Croy, Mrs. John Devine, Mrs. Phillip Pheiffer, Mrs. Walter Cramer.

Refreshments of shamrock ice cream and individual cakes were served by the following hostesses: Mrs. Dan Doty, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. W. C. Askew, Mrs. Lawrence Twenter.

Mrs. Harold J. Hudson, of Mission, Kas., was guest of honor at a birthday dinner Sunday, March 13, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp, of Beaman.

Seated with the honor guest were: Mr. Hudson, Kay and Stevie Hudson, Miss Pat Youngkamp, John Youngkamp, Mr. James J. Kane of Kansas City and Mrs. Youngkamp.

Mrs. Hudson received many nice gifts.

Miss Paulette Roe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Roe, of Barnett, became the bride of Mr. Lloyd Jackson McKinley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Green McKinley, of Barnett, Saturday night, March 12, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roe. The Rev. Rolston read the single ring ceremony.

The bride's matron of honor was Mrs. Helen Kelly, her sister, of St. Louis, who wore a pink lace and satin dress with matching hat. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Miss Roe, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a lace covered white satin dress, with a finger-tip veil held in place by a crown of seed pearls and orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of American beauty roses.

Mr. Charles Kelly, of St. Louis, attended the bridegroom.

The bride's mother wore a grey and rose colored jersey dress and had a corsage of red roses. Mrs. McKinley wore a Navy blue dress and red roses.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roe, Mrs. Carl Wollenberg, Mrs. Mary Caywood and Mrs. Anna Goans.

A 3:30 o'clock luncheon was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Green McKinley for approximately 40 guests.

The couple left for a short wedding trip. Mrs. McKinley wore for her traveling costume a grey suit with red accessories.

The couple will be at home in Kansas City about the first of April.

Garden Circle No. 7 of the Sedalia Garden Club met at the home of Mrs. S. W. James, 1414 South Vermont avenue, at 1:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, March 1, with Mrs. A. Maxwell and Mrs. Champ Richardson as assisting hostesses.

Mrs. Leslie Hale gave a talk on color harmony for the out-door living room.

Mrs. O. M. Waller reviewed two chapters of the book, "Flower Arrangement." Selection and handling of material were stressed in the review.

Mrs. Linden L. Jones received a first and second in awards, Mrs. Frank Henderson one red and Mrs. S. W. James one red.

Mrs. N. E. Whittington, 1202 East Broadway, entertained with a birthday party honoring her daughter, Delores who was celebrating her 13th birthday anniversary Friday evening from 6:00 o'clock to 9:00 o'clock.

The dining table was covered with a party table cloth and centered with a Birthday cake and candle holders with green candles. Refreshments were served by candlelight.

Various games and contests were played. Entertainment of music was furnished by Valgene Hayworth, Dean Hinken and Mrs. Whittington at the piano, and Chester O'Bannon on the clarinet. Ada Louise sang a song, "Lanvender Blue."

Those attending were classmates of Delores: Valgene Hayworth, Chester O'Bannon, Norma Wilcox, Barbara Rhoades, Jimmy Schmitt, Glen Smith, Frances Bennett, Dean Hinken, Robert Bennett, Joyce Phillips, Benny Walters, Wayne Davis, Ada Louise Durrill, Jimmy Byrnes, Larry Lingle, La Veta White, Teresa Phillips, Janet Jones and Tommy and Delores Whittington.

Those invited but unable to attend were: Sylvia Grosfinger, Clifford Jett, J. M. Maxwell and Jimmy Hart.

Delores received many gifts.

Mrs. Whittington was assisted in serving by Delores' two grandmothers, Mrs. S. W. Welch and Mrs. Pete Whittington.

The L. S. B. of L. F. and E. met Thursday in the K. P. Hall, 114½ East Fifth street, for a 12:00 o'clock dinner in honor of the 42nd anniversary of the lodge.

The dinner was served to 33 officers and members of the lodge. The tables were decorated in the St. Patrick day colors.

The business meeting was called to order at 2:00 o'clock by the president, Mrs. J. R. Hunt. The following ladies were present: Mrs. Meisena Butner, Mrs. Harry Frey, Mrs. L. H. Luckey, Mrs. Bessie Motz, Mrs. Roy Hill, Mrs. Maude Horton, Mrs. Carl Almquist, Mrs. H. W. Starke, Mrs. N. E. Miller, Mrs. L. N. Yunker, Mrs. W. J. Griessen, Mrs. J. W. Starke, Mrs. V. G. Tucker, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. Roy Ramey, Mrs. Charles Spillers, Mrs. Eddie Deuel, Mrs. Chester Long, Mrs. J. E. Coates, Mrs. Ferdie Lietzke, Mrs. Charles Holt, Mrs. A. C. Heckenlaible, Mrs. Joe Dunn, Mrs. R. R. Overfelt, Mrs. H. E. Weseloh, Mrs. Ben Cramer, Mrs. Troy Teeter, Mrs. Leland Witt, Mrs. Jay Nicholson, Mrs. R. F. Forsberg, Mrs. John B. O'Brien, Mrs. D. D. Armstrong, Mrs. Carl Urban, Mrs. C. M. Brownfield.

The F. and L. Club met at the home of Miss Erma and Gilbert Campbell, Green Ridge, Thursday night. Cards were played during the evening.

Refreshments of sandwiches, coffee and cocoa were served by Mrs. Sterling Campbell to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shipps, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell, Mr. Johnny White, Miss Vera June Durrill, Mr. Charles Stoner, Erma Louise Campbell and to Sterling Campbell.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, Green Ridge, with June and Johnny White as hosts, April 15.

Mrs. Neillie Woolery, formerly of Sedalia, and Mr. Ivan Howard, of Kansas City, were married at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, in the Linwood Methodist church. Reverend Street read the service.

The couple visited the bride's sister, Mrs. Helen Carl, 213 West Fifth street, Sedalia, Friday night.

After a honeymoon in Southern Missouri Mr. and Mrs. Howard will be at home at 1125 East 65th street, Kansas City.

Miss Rosalie Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edward Roberts of Route One, Sedalia, was married to Mr. Robert F. Ramey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Ramey, of Route Five, Sedalia, at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning, March 17, by the Rev. Walter P. Arnold, at his home, in a double ring ceremony.

The couple was attended by the bridegroom's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Hieronymus.

The bride wore a grey and Navy blue suit with accessories of the same color. Her corsage was of white roses. Mrs. Roberts attended Smith-Cotton high school

The bridegroom attended the Hughesville high school and was in the United States Army for three and one half years.

Sedalia Women At Garden Club Board Meeting

Mrs. Herbert Seifert, 1701 West Eleventh street, and Mrs. A. W. Klang, 700 South Park avenue, have returned from Webster Groves, where they attended the board meeting of the Federated Garden Clubs of Missouri. The meeting closed with a luncheon Friday at the Y. M. C. A.

The Blue Star Highway Memorial plan was discussed at the meeting and the board voted to recommend, at the state convention to be held in Cape Girardeau in May, that Highway 50 will be retained as the Blue State Memorial Highway. It will also recommend that Highway 40 be considered as a parallel Blue Star Memorial Route connecting with the national route from coast to coast. An announcement was made at the board that the national marker will be placed as soon as available at intervals along the route. Two of the markers will be placed in the roadside park west of Sedalia, which is sponsored by the Council of the Sedalia Garden Club.

Mrs. Klang was a guest at a house party at the home of Mrs. James N. McClure, in Kirkwood, for three days, and Mrs. Seifert was the house guest of Mrs. H. M. Harned, former Sedalian. In addition to the board meeting Mrs. Klang and Mrs. Seifert attended the Flower Show in St. Louis.

Sedalians Going to Meeting in Dallas

M. J. Elsea, district superintendent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and four of his Sedalia agents, L. J. Brown, J. O. Latimer, R. S. Rissler and H. T. Seaton, are going to Dallas, Texas, to attend the second annual meeting of the President's club, to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at the Baker hotel

The trip is being given the agents as a meritorius award for their accomplishments during 1946.

Prairie Hill P. T. A. Elect Officers

The Parent Teachers Association met at Prairie Hill school March 11 with 11 members and eight children present.

The business meeting and an election of officers was held. A short program was presented by the school. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served by the members.

Property Sold at Auction

The property owned by John Smethers, at 402 East Jackson street, was sold at public auction Friday to Mr. and Mrs. John McDaniels. Kemp Hieronymus was the auctioneer.

The wedding party of Mr. and Mrs. John Horttor, both of Sedalia, who were married February 27th at the St. Paul's Lutheran church, reading from left to right: Roland Kroenke, Kenneth Nelson, Russel Holman, John Horttor, The Rev. Walter F. Strickert, Mrs. Horttor, formerly Miss Almarie Viebrock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Viebrock, Miss Judith Scott, Miss Ruby Jane Wissman and Mrs. Roland Kroenke. (Photo by Lehmer)

Pfc. and Mrs. Richard F. Flippin, who were married March 6, and members of the wedding party. They are left to right: Miss Marjorie Liebel, Miss Barbara Smith, Miss Betty Jean Smetana, Mrs. Richard Flippin, who was formerly Miss June Marie Cantrell, daughter of Mrs. Blanche Cantrell, 1616 West Broadway, Rev. Bird H. Campbell, Pfc. Richard Flippin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flippin, 1905 South Sneed avenue, Pfc. Gene Wells, Miss Ann Goist and Mrs. Bob Harvey.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Jane Buford

Mrs. Jane Buford, aged 68 years, widow of the late Frank B. Buford, passed away Thursday afternoon at her home, 211 West Tenth street.

Mrs. Buford was born near Joplin, Mo., in 1881 and was married to Frank B. Buford on February 14, 1897. He died in Sedalia Feb. 14, 1947.

She had lived in this community for a period of thirteen years. Mrs. Buford was a member of the First Baptist church and also of Sedalia chapter, No. 57, Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by three sons, Elmo Buford, Boonville, Frank Buford, Kansas City, and Marvin Buford of the home, also by four grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

The body was taken to the Gillespie funeral home.

Arrangements for the funeral services have not been completed.

Mrs. Margaret A. Corley

Mrs. Margaret Alice Corley, 85, died early Thursday morning at her home, Route 2, Sedalia.

Mrs. Corley was born July 8, 1863, in Cooper county, Mo., and had been a resident of this community for the past 65 years. She was a charter member of the Goodwill Methodist chapel.

She is survived by one son, W. I. Thomas, of 810 West Broadway, Sedalia; one daughter, Mrs. Ada Lee Leiter, of the home; two brothers, Thomas M. Garrett, of Route 2, and Charles E. Garrett, of Route 2; two grandsons, James M. Thomas, of Blue Springs, Mo., and Leo T. Leiter, of Route 2. Nine great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Her first husband, James H. Thomas, died September 9, 1922. Her second husband preceded her in death several years ago. Four brothers, Robert, James W., Frank and Henry Garrett also preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be held at the Gillespie funeral home at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. Carl Opp in charge.

Mrs. M. O. Stevens and Mrs. Carl Opp, accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser, will sing, "Precious Memories," "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be" and "In the Sweet By and By."

Pallbearers will be: G. E. Allcorn, Dewey Bohon, Ernest Stevens, August Hamlett, Olliver Garret, Ellis Garrett.

Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Catherine Pregge

Mrs. Catherine Cordes Pregge, 80 years old, former Sedalian, widow of Henry F. Pregge, died at her home in Texarkana, Tex., at noon Wednesday according to word received by her niece, Mrs. P. E. Pierce, 1115 East Fifth street.

Funeral services and burial were held Thursday.

Mrs. Pregge was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frederick August Cordes, born one half mile from the Blackjack school near Florence. Both parents died when she was four years old and of the seven children in the family only one sister, Mrs. James Lee Finley, Route 5, Sedalia, survives.

Besides the sister she leaves a son, Walter Pregge, one grandson, Clifford Pregge and two great grandsons, of Shreveport, La., and 18 nieces and nephews.

Amel C. Lueking Service

Funeral services for Amel Conrad Lueking, 1002 South Kentucky avenue, who died at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, were held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Fifth Street Methodist church with the pastor, the Rev. H. U. Campbell, officiating.

Pallbearers were: Leslie Hale, Leonard Hale, Joe Rosenthal, C. F. Hurtt, Frank Gross and A. A. Wherley.

Mrs. Mae Moser was in charge of the music. Two songs were sung, "Saved By Grace" and "Sweet Hour of Prayer."

The songs were sung by a quartet composed of Mrs. George Lovercamp, Mrs. Arthur Bratten, Miss Jerry Teufel, and Mrs. W. L. Lewis.

Mrs. G. G. Thedick Service

The body of Mrs. G. G. Thedick, who died at her home in Yermo, Calif., after several months illness will arrive in Sedalia at 3:20 o'clock Saturday morning and will be taken to the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

Graveside services will be held at 11:15 o'clock Saturday morning at the Calvary cemetery conducted by Father A. J. Brunswick.

Dee Haggard Service

Mrs. Tom Wood of LaMonte, received a message of the death of her brother-in-law, Dee Haggard of Marshall, who died early Wednesday morning at his home.

Mr. Haggard was born December 12, 1872 in Saline County.

He is survived by one step daughter, Mrs. Edgar Smith of Marshall, a step son, Carl Smith of Kansas City.

Funeral services will be held at Sweet Springs at the Methodist church at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon with the Rev. Sampson, pastor, officiating.

George J. Goff Service

Funeral services for George Jake Goff, 60, of 642 East Third street, who died at his home early Wednesday morning, will be held at the McLaughlin funeral chapel at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. S. K. Mabry in charge.

Pallbearers will be James Shull, H. Cook, William Toliver, S. B. Avery, C. Walker, and Orvil Quigley.

Mrs. S. K. Mabry and Mrs. Evelyn Worlledge will sing "In The Garden," and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus," accompanied at the organ by Mrs. C. D. Demand.

Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

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planation the facts of federal government expansion are clearly evident. They show that in less than two decades the number of civilian employees has increased from 570,000 to more than 2,100,000; that the number of bureaus, agencies and service units has increased four-fold to more than 1800, while the annual expenditures have grown from 3½ billion dollars to more than 42 billion and the national debt per average family from $500 to approximately $7,500.

Turning to a discussion of the social security problem in Missouri, Fisher pointed out that only six states in the United States have a larger percentage of persons 65 or over receiving old age assistance than Missouri and that only three states have a larger percentage of their total population receiving old age assistance than Missouri.

Most Productive Step

Stating that the enactment of a lien and recovery law seems to be the most productive step that could be taken to bring the Missouri old age assistance program into line, Fisher stated, "The truly needy aged citizens of Missouri should be provided for adequately. The object of an old age assistance program should be to provide proper help to the truly needy without permitting those not in need to absorb funds to the disadvantage of the needy, the other state functions or the public which must provide the funds.

"A proper lien and recovery provision is eminently fair and just. It would provide a claim upon the property of the recipient only up to the amount of assistance given. It would work no hardship upon the old age assistance recipient whatsoever. The recipient would retain and have complete use of his property throughout his lifetime. Even after his death, in cases where there was a surviving indigent spouse or other needy dependents, no claim would be made as long as the property was used as their home."

Traced Organization's Growth

Fisher traced the growth of the organized taxpayer movement throughout the nation and noted some of the accomplishments of Missouri Public Expenditure Survey in striving for more efficient and more economical government on the federal, state, and local levels.

Fisher strongly urged that citizens talk with their elected representatives whenever the opportunity presented itself. He said, "Your representatives will appreciate having your thought and your suggestions. Your representatives and your public officials are your employees . . . their problems are our problems."

John F. Zander, secretary of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce was a club guest.

'Self Sufficient In Supply of Oil

TULSA, Okla. ,March 24—(AP)—Southwestern oil men were told today by one of their top executives that the country is self-sufficient in its oil supply.

And, said President T. E Swigart of Shell Pipe Line Co., Houston, Tex., the domestic petroleum industry promises to grow each year.

Swigart addressed the Mid-Continent meeting of the American Petroleum Institute's Production division, attended by some 700 members of the industry.

In reviewing the supply situation, he pointed out that demands on the United States for oil export had been relieved somewhat by development of the large-scale production in Venezuela.

But rapidly increasing production in the Middle East, backed by large reserves, threatens to take an important part of the European market from both this country and Venezuela, he added.

"The net effect of this on our domestic industry is the loss of some foreign outlets," Swigart said. "But if we gear ourselves chiefly to take care of our domestic requirements, we will still have a vigorous industry and one which promises growth from year to year."

About 1,000 at MW Roundup

Approximately 1,000 farmers of the Pettis county area visited the annual "Farmers Round-Up Day" program and demonstrations at the Montgomery Ward Farm store, from 10:30 o'clock in the morning until 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The store's line of farm implements and equipment was on display, and demonstrations were given of many of the items, including the chain saw, hammer mill, garden tractors, and others. Refreshments were served throughout the day.

The show was under the supervision of M. G. Goodrich as general manager of Montgomery Ward in Sedalia, J. F. Fear as manager of the Farm store, and Marion Greer. Mr. Fear also presented merchandise prizes which were awarded during the day.

Granted A Divorce

Mrs. Grace C. Haley was granted a divorce in circuit court, Wednesday, from her husband, James J. Haley, and was also awarded the custody of three minor children.

Novelty Piano Duo Wins in Talent Finds

Peggy Shull and Don Broaddus Took Second Place

"Twenty Fingers of Rhythm" novelty piano duo, won the Fox Talent Quest finals Thursday night and a trip to Springfield which may also lead to Hollywood. Louis Greife, 45 and Scott Sappington, 47, both of Windsor, who having been playing the piano together by ear since childhood won the applause of the audience which gave them first place.

Second place was won by Peggy Shull and Don Broaddus with a jitterbug act. The teen age Smith-Cotton high school pair are cousins and received gifts

Third place went to the Boggess Four, a quartet composed of two brothers and two sisters, Lavedia, Bobbie, Harvey and Udell, who also received gifts.

Present Acts Tonight

So great was the crowd to see the final Talent Quest show that more than one thousand persons were turned away, and Joe Ruddick, theatre manager is presenting the same thirteen acts again tonight so that those unable to get in the theatre Thursday night may still see the show.

Others who won outstanding applause to the degree that they were called upon the stage for a final decision of the judges were Ernest Mullberry, tenor and Dickie Phillips, novelty fiddle champion.

There were eight other acts all receiving a great deal of applause making the judging difficult. They were Carol Ann Turner, acrobatic. "The Collegiates" quartette from Central Missouri State college; Karl S. Brosing, Jr., baritone; Barbara Brown, vocalist; Billy Schwenck, and his accordion; Diane and Donnalyn Keim, from Eldon, "Thix Arcobatique," The Three Aces, Jerry Engle, Maxine Noel and "Rosy" Ellis, and Claude Boul, Jr., classical pianist

Mr. Greife and Mr. Sappington will go to Springfield Monday night to appear on the regional talent quest.

Mrs. Nellie Monegan has been the accompanist for many of the acts throughout the entire contest.

Month More To Price Support

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The agriculture department announced today it will grant growers one month more time to qualify for price support aid for 1949 crop wheat than was allowed for the 1948 crop.

Such aid will be available from harvest time through January 31, 1950. Last year it was available only through December 31, 1948.

This extension of time is designed to strengthen the price support program by giving growers longer time to get grain into acceptable storage—facilities for which are short in some areas.

It also will enable growers to shift taxes on a part or all on their grain to the 1950 tax year. If put under price supports after next January 1, returns for the grain would be subject to taxation as a part of 1950 income.

As required by law, wheat will be supported at 90 per cent of the parity price of wheat as of July 1, the beginning of the 1949 crop marketing year.

Levee Breaks In Louisiana

BATRON ROUGE, La., March 24—(AP)—The flooded Mississippi broke a levee four miles north of the city of Port Allen today.

Major M. J. Roden of the State Police said "It's a very serious situation" and residents of the area close to the break are being evacuated immediately.

Port Allen, just across the river from Baton Rouge, has a population of about 6,500 persons.

Roden said the break is about 500 feet across and is still growing.

He said the water at present is flowing west of the city, and some observers say it will miss inhabitated areas completely. The break is about two miles north of a highway bridge across the Mississippi.

The river has been at flood stage several days.

Rent Bill go to Compromise

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The House refused today to accept senate amendments to its bill continuing rent controls. The decision will send the measure to a Senate-House conference committee to work out a compromise.

Rent controls will expire a week from today, unless a compromise can be reached and the bill put on President Truman's desk at that time.

Neither Senate nor House bill makes rent controls as strong or continues them as long as President Truman asked.

BIRTHS

Twin daughters, born to AMM 2/c and Mrs. John Williams Tuesday morning in San Diego, Cal. One baby weighed five pounds, the other four pounds, eleven and three-fourths ounces. Mr. Williams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams, 702 Wilkerson street.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rains, of Warrensburg, at 4:30 o'clock Thursday morning at the Bothwell hospital. Weight: Six pounds, seven ounces.

Prominent Persons Withdraw

From Controversial Cultural, Scientific Conference in N.Y. For World Peace

NEW YORK, March 24—(AP)—Withdrawal of seven more prominent persons from the controversial cultural and scientific conference for world peace was reported today.

Americans for Intellectual Freedom, a group opposing the conference, listed seven headed by Franklin Pierce Adams, the newspaper columnist known as FPA.

Sponsors of the three-day conference, the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions, said, however, that only two on the list had sent them notices of withdrawal. They said the two were Adams and Rabbi Mordecai M. Kaplan of the Jewish Theological Seminary.

The intellectual freedom group listed, in addition to Adams and Kaplan, these persons:

Canada Lee, Negro actor; Prof. Rexford Guy Tugwell of the University of Chicago; Lynn Riggs, playwright, the Rev. Karl Grorowsky, minister of a Brooklyn Unitarian church, and Prof. Ernest Hockins of Harvard university.

Ask Reds to Visit Factories

Russian delegates to the conference today were invited to inspect major American factories, as opponents went ahead with plans to picket the weekend meetings.

The invitation to tour this country's industrial areas was extended to the Soviet group by the National Association of Manufacturers.

Routed through Soviet Ambassador Alexander Panyushkin, the invitation expressed belief that such tours would further world peace "as the peoples of the world come to know how one another work and live . . ."

There was no indication from Soviet sources as to whether the Russians would accept.

In a separate letter to Dmitri Shostakovich, famed composer and leader of the Russian delegation, President Wallace F. Bennett of the NAM said he hoped Panyushkin would approve the tour.

Bennett said the NAM would pay all the expenses of the Russians and work out with them an itinerary which could be completed within the time the delegates are scheduled to remain in this country.

Sponsors of the controversial "world peace" parley which opens tomorrow, charged the state department with "deliberately misreprenting the conference in the eyes of the American people" as protests against it mounted.

Precaution Shuts Oil Wells Down

HOUSTON, Tex., March 24—(AP)—Five producing oil wells were shut down tonight as operators sought to minimize possible danger from an abandoned well spewing gas over the south Houston oil field.

The abandoned well broke loose again tonight after having burned spectacularly for nine hours last night.

Gas pressure broke through a mud pack that had been used to smother the flames at 3 a. m. today. Flames spouted from the well for a few minutes early tonight but workmen extinguished the blaze.

The high pressure gas continued to spew from the well.

Stanolind Oil and Gas Company ordered the shut down of the five oil wells as a precautionary measure until danger of further fire is over.

The pumper wells had operated throughout last night's fire and throughout Thursday.

Social Security Expansion Plan

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—Support sprang up in the House today for putting new millions of workers into the old age insurance system.

The administration proposed a "stamp book" plan to help handle the tax-paying problem and facilitate extension of insurance coverage. President Truman wants to blanket an additional 20,000,000 under the plan. This would make a total of 50,000,000 workers.

Some bipartisan support immediately appeared in the House for broadening the plan, although some lawmakers voiced doubt that all 20,000,000 can be brought in at this time.

Moreover, Rep. Kean (R-NJ), a member of the House ways and means committee, told reporters he agrees with President Truman that the social security tax should be increased from the present one percent to two percent each against employes' pay and employers' payrolls— to make the social security program self-supporting.

Kean also supported the idea of increased social security insurance coverage.

Family of Five Burn to Death

CIRCLEVILLE, O., March 24—(AP) — A family of five persons burned to death early today when fire destroyed their tenant house on a farm, 12 miles northwest of here.

The victims were:

Leonard Estep, 28, tenant farmer; his wife Frances, 26, and their three children, Jean 6; Beverly, 4, and Joie Lee, 17 months.

A neighbor discovered the fire about 5 a. m. and called the Circleville fire department.

Bill to Increase State Aid For School Transportation

JEFFERSON CITY, March 24—(AP)—A bill to increase state aid for transporting school children in rural districts was introduced in the House of Representatives today.

It would allot $5 a month per pupil for one mile or more. Present law calls for $3 per pupil for two miles.

The bill was introduced by Rep. R. H. Ridenour (R) of Osage county.

Also introduced was a bill to allow the Department of Health and Welfare to hire out-of-state physicians and technicians.

Under present law all employes of the department must have been residents of Missouri for at least two years before taking merit system examinations to get jobs in the department.

The bill was introduced by Rep. William Pittmen (R) of Dekalb county.

Other Bills

The House advanced to final voting stage a bill to eliminate the requirement that the director of the state Division of Mental Diseases be a psychiatrist.

Supporters said the director's main job is administrative and he need not be a doctor. The director now is Dr. Orr Mullinax, former superintendent of the St. Joseph state hospital.

Another measure advanced would set the tuition of high school students attending school outside their own district at the per pupil cost of teaching them. Now the teaching district can charge only the proportionate cost of hiring teachers and incidental expenses.

Rep. Floyd L. Snyder (D) of Jackson county said it would increase the per pupil tuition in his school district about $14 a year.

Defendant Tells Prosecutor he Should be Working on Farm

DETROIT, March 24.—(AP)—Everybody was getting aggravated today in the Jones murder trial.

Judge Joseph A. Gillis threatened a defense attorney and spectators with contempt sentences.

Tempers grew hot when James Sacchetti, 31, one of three charged with the murder of Elmer B. Jones, declared that Ralph Garber, chief assistant prosecutor, "should be working on a farm."

James A. Jameson, Sacchetti's attorney, accused Garber of "aggravating the witness."

Judge Willis said the witness was aggravating the prosecutor. Then Sacchetti shouted at the judge:

"And you're aggravating me!"

When Gillis threatened Jameson with a contempt charge, Sacchetti said:

"I wonder my attorney doesn't blow his top."

"I'm not so sure," Judge Gills said.

"What do you mean you're not sure?" Sacchetti demanded. "I'm not so sure about you either."

Laughter broke out. Judge Gillis rapped his gavel and said he would jail the next spectator who laughed.

"In all my experience I never had anything like this," Gillis said. "In any other case but a capital offense it would be ridiculous."

Sacchetti, a Fairmont, W. Va., carnival worker, was testifying for the first time.

Man's Conscience Hurt so he Returned $1,210 Stolen Money

DENVER, March 24—(AP)— A railroad's treasury was heavier by more than $1,200 today and some man's conscience was much lighter.

The Denver and Rio Grande Western received a letter yesterday signed "God knows my name" and containing $1,210 in currency.

The letter, printed in large block letters said:

"About thirty years ago, I started embezzling funds from the D&RGW, for two or three years amounting to about $1,200. It has troubled me at times ever since, until lately it is more than I can stand. I have had no rest day or night and I am atoning by paying back now and hope to have some rest of min and soul by this restitution."

The writer added that the extra ten dollars was from 'another person."

Robert Herring, D&RGW treasurer, said the money would go into the railroad's "conscience fund" which frequently receives cash from the conscience stricken.

Incidentally, Herring said the company probably would have to pay income tax on the $1,210 or about $484.

Community News From

Florence

(MRS. ROBERT ELDENBURG)

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Combs celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary, Sunday, March 20. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Combs and children, Bobby, Joyce, and Billy, of Kansas City, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirchner of Jefferson City, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bremer and family, Mrs. Julia Bremer, and Mrs. Lena Brauer, all of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Small and son, Phillip, Greg Combs, Phyllis Combs, and Patty Combs of Stover, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bremer and grandson, Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Sam White, Mrs. Harry Mertgen and children, Mrs. Fannie Casdorph, Lotus Combs, and Audrey and Martha of the home.

Miss Mary Frances Siegel, a student at Warrensburg, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Siegel and family.

Misses Darlene and Jean Oehrke were week-end guests of Miss Barbara Ann Mertgen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Duvel and son, Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houchen, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Helms of Tipton, Friday night, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Duvel's 30th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houchen and mother Schupp had as dinner guests, Sunday, the following: Mrs. Anna Schupp and son, Norman, of Kansas City, Mrs. Richard Schelschmidt and daughter of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Duvel and son.

Glen Mertgen and Barbara Ann and Betty, were in Sedalia, Friday afternoon, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bremer and grandson, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam White, visited in Stover with Mrs. Martha Kaiser, Sunday afternoon.

E. A. Duvel, accompanied by Monte Finley of Versailles, and Alfred Bockelman of Stover, was in Clinton, Monday, on Triple A business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rodenbach and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rodenbach and family, visited in the L. A. and Louis Siegel home, Sunday.

Melvin Munsterman, who had spent the past few weeks with relatives in Kansas City, returned home, Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Schlichtig left, Sunday, for Sedalia to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hall of La Monte, Leon Burkhalter and Angeline Sluder of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Zimmerschied and son, Mrs. Lessie Sluder, and Mrs. Mary Baughman were Sunday guests of Mrs. Martha Houchen and daughter, Mary.

Graden Chilcoat of the state of Iowa, visited his aunt, Miss Annie Baughman, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralph Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Don Barnes and son of Moberly, Miss Ona Rages of Columbia, and Mrs. Harold Eldenburg and son, Bobbie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rages and son, Donald, and Mrs. Dietzfeld, Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Munsterman and guest of Centralia, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Munsterman and family, from Wednesday until Saturday.

Donnie Goodman of Beaman, spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hatfield, who with Jim Goodman accompanied him home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walker were in Sedalia, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Kulen of Jefferson City, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williamson.

The Methodist youth fellowship attended a sub-district meeting in Lincoln, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirchner accompanied Mrs. Fannie Casdorph home, Sunday. She has been visiting with them, and also with her two daughters in Warrenton.

Clarence Brown returned home Saturday from Kansas City, where he had been taking medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bremer of Sedalia, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of Otterville, visited with Mrs. Lula Bremer, Sunday. She is ill and at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Hotsenpillar.

Mrs. A. L. Siegel and daughter, and Mrs. George Fisher and daughter spent the week-end in Kansas City, visiting the Fishers and the Winsteads.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Oehrke and children of Sedalia, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Day spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Oehrke.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson and daughter of Kansas City, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bramble.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rehmer had as guests, Sunday, the following: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rehmer and family of Green Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Masters of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Masters of California, and Ray Huffman, Miss Darlene Fry, and Mrs. and Mrs. Jake Fry and family, all of Stover, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rehmer and family.

Boyd Takes Over; Gets Back Pay

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—Dr. James Boyd collected $10,847.83 in back pay today and formally took over as director of the bureau of mines. He had held the post for two years without pay most of the time.

Before the was sworn in, Secretary of Interior Krug handed him a check for $4,532.36. Immediately afterwards, Krug gave him another for $6,315.47.

He still has a third installment coming. The total back pay due him before he received the two checks was $12,000, the department said.

Slight Damage In Collision

Slight damage resulted in a collision of automobiles at Third street and Kentucky avenue Thursday afternoon at 2:05 o'clock between a 1946 Chrysler sedan driven by Leo W. Yoebel of Eureka, Ill., and Mrs. Albert Anderson of Hughesville, driving a 1947 Mercury.

Mrs. Anderson was pulling away from a parking meter when the accident occurred.

Permit "Family Fares"

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The Civil Aeronautics Board announced today it will permit airline "family fares" to continue in effect through June 30. The old authorization would have expired March 31.

Community News From

Pilot Grove

By Miss Rosella Kreisel

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Schlotzhauer and daughter, Janie, of Boonville, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Day.

Jim Ford and Oscar Bates of Boonville, visited on Sunday afternoon with Henry Palmer, who has been bedfast for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ries of Independence, visited Mrs. John Ries and Edward Ries, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mayo visited in Sedalia, Wednesday evening, with Mrs. Pearl Mayo.

Mr. and Mrs. Welton Frakes of Boonville, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Palmer, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bestgen and daughter, Debra, of Tipton, visited with Mrs. Ella Zeller, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mayo visited in Cole Camp, Wednesday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. George Kreisel.

H. G. Arnes of St. Louis, visited on Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bock.

Kyle Boyer of St. Louis, spent the week end here with his wife and son at the home of Mrs. John Ries.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Spahr of Independence, and son, W. L., Jr., and wife, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fisher and daughter, Peggy, of Sedalia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kraus, Mrs. Fisher's parents.

Mrs. Raymond Bock of Joplin, visited her mother, Mrs. A. G. Krumm.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Perry of Boonville, visited relatives here, Sunday.

Bob Painter spent Thursday and Friday in Kansas City on business.

Ruben Eichelberger, who is employed in Kansas City, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Eichelberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biggerstaff and sons, Tommy and Jimmy, of Boonville, were Wednesday evening guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kella of Blackwater, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schlotzhauer and Miss Betty Marie Schlotzhauer.

Mrs. L. F. Cole of Otterville, and Mrs. Horst Cole of Mt. Nebo, visited with their brother, Henry Palmer, and Mrs. Palmer, Friday.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF E. W. THOMPSON MOTOR COMPANY

The annual meeting of the stockholders of E. W. Thompson Motor Company will be held at the office of the said company at 400 South Osage Street, Sedalia, Missouri, at 10:00 A. M. on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1949, for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

JOHN SUTHERLIN,
Secretary.

3-25, 4-1.

No. 9907
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Burns, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of January, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 17th day of January, 1949.
D. S. LAMM,
Executor.

Attested by me this 17th day of January, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-25, 4-1, 4-8, 4-15.

No. 9939
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Anna R. Grant, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of March, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 1st day of March, 1949.
D. S. LAMM,
Executor.

Attested by me this 1st day of March, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9940
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Margaret Martin, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of March, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 1st day of March, 1949.
WILLIAM MARTIN,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 1st day of March, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Henry C. Salveter.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9932
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Henry Riley, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 21st day of February, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 21st day of February, 1949.
KURMAN W. RILEY,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 21st day of February, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9933
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of John M. Stewart, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of February 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administratrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 18th day of February, 1949.
NORA MAY GIBBINS,
Administratrix.

Attested by me this 18th day of February, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

Number 9938
Notice of Administrator With Will Annexed

Notice is hereby given, That Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, on the Estate of Fred E. Rush, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of February 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 28th day of February 1949.
D. S. LAMM,
Administrator With Will Annexed.

Attested by me this 28th day of February 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

IN THE PROBATE COURT

Be it remembered, that on Friday, March 11th, 1949, the same being the eighteenth day of the regular February Term, thereof, of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court, and entered of record, to-wit:

STATE OF MISSOURI } (SS.
COUNTY OF PETTIS }

Order of Publication
Number 9932

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Riley, deceased.

Kurman W. Riley, Administrator.

Kurman W. Riley, Administrator of the estate of Henry Riley, deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

The North West Quarter (¼) of the North East Quarter (¼) of Section Thirty Three (33) Township Forty Five (45) Range Twenty (20) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, being in the County of Pettis and the State of Missouri

as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such case.

On Examination Whereof, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, April 19th, 1949, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis County, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.
(Seal) J. E. SMITH,
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.
Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION

By virtue and authority of orders of sale in partition, issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Pettis County, Missouri, dated the 10th day of February, 1949 and the 9th day of March, 1949, and to me directed in favor of Charles L. Hanley, Allie A. Wherley and Henry C. Salveter as Trustees of the Trust Estate of Green McFarland, deceased and Josephine Fichter and Pete McFarland as plaintiffs, and against Clay McFarland, Rosell McFarland Anderson, Ruth Fichte, Ralph McFarland, Floyd McFarland, Donald McFarland, and the possible unborn children of Josephine Fichter, defendants and it appearing to the court that the plaintiffs are entitled to the relief prayed for in their petition, ordered that the property described in plaintiff's petition be sold by the sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri as provided by law in such cases. Now therefore, in order to comply with the terms of said order of sale, I, the undersigned sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri, shall proceed to sell the said real estate, so ordered sold, and situated in Pettis County, Missouri, to-wit:

20 acres, being the South Half of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 47, Range 20

80 acres, being all of Lot 1 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46 Range 20

The South 25.67 acres of the East Half of Lot 2 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5 Township 46, Range 20

57.24 acres, being the West Half of Lot 2 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46 Range 20

30 acres, being all that part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46 Range 20 lying North of Muddy Creek

1½ acres, being all that part of the West Half of Lot 1 of the Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Township 46, Range 20, lying North of Muddy Creek

All of the above described lands being and situate in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri,

and I will on Saturday the 2nd day of April, 1949, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri, and while the circuit court is in session sell the above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand in order to comply with the said order of sale.

Dated this 9th day of March 1949.
JOHN F. TAYLOR,
Sheriff of Pettis County Missouri.
John T. Martin, Attorney.
3-11, 3-18, 3-25, 4-1.

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Informal Party For Lawmakers

May be Given by Truman as Part of His Campaign to Get Close to Congress

WASHINGTON, Mar. 25—(AP)—President Truman may play host next month at a ninformal party for new members of the House and Senate, as part of his campaign to get chummy with Congress.

Plans for such a party are being discussed by some of the president's advisers, it was disclosed today. The latchstring was hung out at his White House office for lawmakers who want to talk over their problems with the president.

Mr. Truman disclosed at his news conference yesterday that during the rest of March and all of April he will be seeing many legislators.

In this connection, the president said he had cancelled two New York talks. One was to have been at the cornerstone dedication of the United Nations building April 10 and the other at a testimonial dinner for Dr. Chaim Weizmann, head of the new state of Israel, April 23.

To Work Long Hours

The president said he will be working from daylight to dark having interviews and getting his desk cleaned of the things that piled up while he was vacationing in Florida.

The president's decision to stick close to home for a while pleased his legislative leaders.

Senator Lucas of Illinois, the Democratic leader, told reporters he thinks it "an excellent move," adding: "My opinion is that the closer the chief executive is to the Congress, the better it is for his program and the country as a whole."

As a part of this new chummy attitude, the president's friends hope he and Vice President Barkley can get together with many of the 117 new members of the House and 19 new Senators early in April.

Hardly A Cozy Party

Hardly a cozy party at best, such a gathering probably would have to be held in a local club or hotel, since the White House is undergoing repairs.

It was not immediately clear whether Republicans would be invited to this party. But Mr. Truman said that if any of them want to talk to him in his offices, they will be welcome. There will be no priority on his time, the president said.

The same holds true for southern Democrats, he said, in an obvious move to let the Dixie lawmakers forget—for the time being at least—the late unpleasantness over the Senate filibuster.

However, the president made it plain he stands by his Civil Rights program and expects it to come up in Congress later. He had high praise for Dr. Frank Graham, a member of the president's Civil Rights commission, who was named as senator from North Carolina to succeed the late Senator J. M. Broughton.

Denies Any Trouble

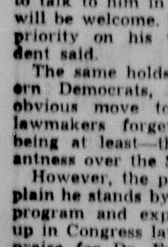
One of Mr. Truman's Civil Rights proposals is to abolish the poll tax as a requirement for voting in federal elections. In this connection, Republican Senators were reported last night to be trying to bring this issue before the Senate. They were said to have pledges of 35 Republican Senators to support a motion to shut off debate when an effort is made to bring up the poll tax question. They would need at least 64 votes.

The president disparaged reports that he is not getting along too well with Congress. He said there has always been a close relationship between him and Congress despite what the columnists said about it.

Killed By School Bus

WARDELL, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—Lindell Gaston, 7-year-old daughter of John Gaston of Wardell, was killed yesterday when she was struck by a school bus driven by Morris Clifton, 22, of Wardell.

The Weather



MILD

Increasing cloudiness tonight, low near 40. Mild Saturday, with showers likely in the forenoon. Highest temperature near 60.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 36 degrees; 2 p. m. 56 degrees.

Lake of the Ozarks: 3.4; fall .1.

Sun rise 6:11 a. m. Sun set 6:39 p. m.

New moon March 29; first quarter moon April 6.

Thought For Today

It is the height of absurdity to sow little but weeds in the first half of one's lifetime and expect to harvest a valuable crop in the second half.—Percy H. Johnston.

Resigned

President Truman today accepted the resignation of Walter Bedell Smith as ambassador to Moscow. Smith, a lieutenant general, is returning to army duty.

Presidential press secretary Charles G. Ross said Mr. Truman accepted Smith's request "with great reluctance" and that he did so to permit him to return to a field command. The command has been held open for him since the retirement of Gen. Courtney Hodges.

84-Year-Old Man Wants to Go to College

Authorities of County Home, Where He Lives, Object

DANVILLE, Ind., March 25—(AP)—An 84-year-old paying resident of the Hendricks county home can't go to college to continue his education. Authorities won't let him.

The octogenarian scholar, James L. Glascock, is being confined to the county home by the superintendent, Ira Plasters. The superintendent said Glascock's going to nearby Canterbury college made the other residents at the home resentful. They wanted similar liberties.

"If you let one of them go out, you've got to let the rest of them go," Plasters explained. "We don't want trouble, we want things to settle down."

The superintendent said one inmate grew so resentful that he beat up two other inmates in an argument and was sentenced to the Indiana state farm.

Thought It Was Foolish

The county commissioners are inclined to back Superintendent Plasters.

"We're not running a hotel," said County Commissioner Hursel Disney. (Glascock pays $7 a week to the home.)

Disney said the commissioners thought Glascock's going to school "was foolish for a man with no future to his life."

However, the commissioners postponed a final decision until their next meeting on April 4.

Canterbury college has appointed Mrs. Gladys B. Mowrer, dean of women, to see what can be done about Glascock's continuing his studies in the school's sociology class.

An Inspiration

Canterbury president, Father Douglas R. MacLaurey, says the elderly man's determination to improve his education "is a big inspiration to all of us."

Glascock, a former teacher and veteran of two wars, maintains he is not an inmate. "I am a resident," he says, because he pays his own way and also the "keep" of a blind, 56-year-old son at the home.

Earthquake Recorded

WESTON, Mass., March 25.—(AP)—The Boston college seismograph station said today an earthquake was recorder at 4:04:30 p. m. (E.S.T.) yesterday.

The disturbance occurred 2,795 miles from Boston, probably in Alaska. It lasted two hours and was termed "strong" by the Rev. Daniel Linehan, S.J., seismologist.

Mrs. Steele Convalescing

Mrs. W. D. Steele, of 1309½ West Third street, is convalescing from surgery in the Research Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri.

Two Men Kill Kansas Citian, Escape in Car

Getaway Car Found Later; Had Hidden Compartment, Siren

KANSAS CITY, March 25—(AP)—The brazenness of the daylight slaying here of Wolf C. Rimann, 43-year-old country club manager, led police today to the theory out-of-town gunman had been hired at a high fee to do the job.

Police Chief Henry W. Johnson said Rimann's killers seemingly did not care if they were seen. At least 15 persons saw Rimann, Hillcrest Country club manager and also head of a pinball machine and juke box business, cut down on a downtown street late yesterday by gang bullets.

Johnson pointed out that the two gunmen and the driver of the getaway car made no attempt to shield their faces from view, leading police to believe they had no previous crime records here and need not worry about police having their photographs on file.

Money Probably Involved

He also theorized a large sum of money was involved in the slaying bargain since the getaway car, abandoned a half hour after the shooting, had been especially equipped for a killing job.

Two men shot Rimann as he stood beside his car and fled in an automobile driven by a third person. Police later found the getaway car abandoned. It was specially equipped with a hidden gun compartment and a siren.

Chief of Police Henry W. Johnson said the car was free of fingerprints, indicating professional gunmen had cleaned it before using and had worn gloves.

He said he believed the machine had been kept in hiding while the killers saved it for a special job.

No Clues

"We have 35 detectives on the case," Johnson said. "But we have virtually no clues. Rimann was interested in many enterprises, several of which created discord."

Rimann was a steadily growing operator in music box and pinball machines and shuffleboard equipment.

Rimann's Western Specialty company was the largest operator of music and pinball machines in the Kansas City area, John S. Cannon, Rimann's attorney, said.

In connection with his specialty company business, Rimann also had been making loans to tavern operators with the proviso that the borrowers use his machines, Cannon added.

Car From St. Louis Area

Police details continued to check airports, bus stations and train depot today in hopes of spotting the killers.

The state highway patrol reported the car abandoned by the killers originally came from the St. Louis area, but it had changed owners several times.

The hidden gun compartment, made of steel, was in the back of the rear seat. It was large enough to hold a sawed-off shotgun or sub machine gun.

The push button for the siren could be hidden by closing the top of an ash tray.

"There was nothing in the car," Chief Johnson said. "We found 15 witnesses at the scene, all of whom apparently had a good description of 'two dark men' who did the killing. When we got them to headquarters and told them it was a gang killing and not a holdup, most of them promptly forgot what they knew."

Men Jumped From Car

Rimann's slaying occurred after he had driven to a business house near 14th street and Chestnut avenue to have a chair reupholstered.

As he returned to his parked car, the killers' automobile drove up. According to accounts of witnesses, two men leaped out as the machine moved slowly ahead. Both held pistols. The gunmen fired two bursts of shots and leaped back in their automobile.

Rimann who had been standing beside the open door of his car, fell forward onto the front cushion.

Police said no weapons were found on Rimann. He was a special deputy sheriff and his car carried both a siren and a red light.

Had Been Golf Pro

Officers said an early report that robbery might have been the motive was largely discounted.

Rimann was the largest stock-

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Jane Wyman and Laurence Oliver Winners of Awards

SIR LAURENCE OLIVIER
"Hamlet"

JANE WYMAN
"Johnny Belinda"

By Bob Thomas

HOLLYWOOD, March 25.—(AP)—Silence and Shakespeare won academy awards for Jane Wyman and Sir Laurence Olivier last night.

Miss Wyman, 35-year-old graduate of B Pictures, was named best actress of 1948 for playing the raped deaf-mute in "Johnny Belinda." Oliver was given Hollywood's highest honor for his performance as "Hamlet." His British production was also named the best picture of the year, making the first time the award has been handed across the sea.

It was also a great night for the Hustons. Son John walked off with two gold statuettes for his writing and direction of "The Treasure of the Sierra Madre." Father Walter sprinted down the aisle to claim his best supporting actor award as the wily prospector in the same film.

Claire Trevoir was selected the best supporting actress as the drunken gun-moll in "Key Largo," also directed by John Huston.

Miss Wyman, formerly Sarah Jane Folks of St. Joseph, Mo., accepted her award the same way she won it—"By keeping my mouth shut." Her co-star and beau, Lew Ayres, then escorted her to J. L. Warner's celebration party at the Mocambo. The British "Hamlet" bettered U. S. films by copping five awards. Olivier's statuettes were received by friend Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. Author Shakespeare was declared ineligible for writing honors because, said Emcee Robert Montgomery, "he wrote for another medium."

The motion picture academy's voters selected "Buttons and Bows" from "The Paleface" as the best film song. Jane Russell, in a strapless gown, rocked the room with her singing of the Jay Livingston-Ray Evans tune.

Important Events In World News

By the Associated Press

Russia continued to shuffle around its top officials today and named a new armed forces chief. He is Marshal Alexander M. Vasilevsky who made a brilliant record in World War II as a warrior and tactician.

As in other recent shifts, the presiduim of the supreme Soviet announced without explanation that Vasilevsky was taking over from Marshal Nikolai A. Bulganin as minister of armed forces of the Soviet Union. This is the highest military post in all Russia.

Bulganin, who has held the ministry since he took it over from Prime Minister Stalin in March, 1947, will retain his post as deputy prime minister. He also will continue as a member of the powerful politburo.

Observers outside Russia interpreted the new change as fitting into the same pattern as earlier ones, which relieved politburo members of active administrative work, apparently so they can give full time to policy problems.

WAHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Rep. Rankin (D-Miss) today introduced a new veterans pension bill limited to ex-service men of World War I. He told the House he hopes to bring it to the floor "in a short time."

The measure calls for $72 a month pensions to veterans of the 1917-18 war when they reach age 65 provided their income does not exceed $2,000 a year if unmarried or $3,000 if married, or with dependents.

CANTON, March 25—(AP)—The motorship Miss Orient exploded today, after striking a mine, killing an estimated 100 persons.

The ship was enroute from here to the British crown colony of Hong Kong. The explosion occurred six miles east of Canton.

A dispatch from Hong Kong said there were 500 passengers aboard. The injured were brought to Canton.

Pirates were blamed for laying the mine after the ship's owners refused to pay extortion money to them.

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—President Truman met with his cabinet for 15 minutes today—one of the briefest sessions on record.

Members said afterward no important problems were taken up.

BERLIN, March 25—(AP)—In the face of almost daily protests from the three western powers, the Russians today increased their firing and bombing practice in corridors used by the Berlin airlift.

Pouring Floor at Liberty Park's New Pool

Contractors, building the Liberty park and Hubbard park pools, started pouring a section of the Liberty park pool floor Thursday.

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If you fail to receive your Democrat please call 1000 before 7 p. m. An extra paper will be delivered to you after 7 p. m.

On Sunday mornings if you fail to receive your Democrat, please call 1000 before 10 a. m. An extra copy will be delivered to you after 10 a. m.

Rep. Named In Suit is Threatened

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—Police are guarding the home of Congresswoman Edith Nourse Rogers, who reported she had been threatened with death in a series of grim letters.

Mrs. Rogers said yesterday the first threat was received around Valentine's day, and that there was no connection between the letters and the three-day old lawsuit naming her as the third figure in a marriage break-up.

The 67-year-old Massachusetts legislator, dean of Republican women in congress, told of that first threat in a Valentine's day speech in the House Feb. 14.

"The letters have been continuing since then," she said. She did not reveal the nature of the threats, o rtheir source. She said, however, that authorities are working on the case.

Break-up Case Progresses

Meanwhile, the widely-publicized marriage breakup case progressed another notch.

Process servers through the navy captain's lawyers served Capt. Harold A. Latta-Lawrence, 47, with papers ordering him into court to answer his wife's suit for $300 a month separate maintenance.

The wife, Mrs. Eilene Diana Latta-Lawrence, in her 30s, filed suit Tuesday saying her husband of less than a year had "close and intimate" association with the New England congresswoman.

Report on Red Cross Campaign

Ray C. Lippard, chairman of the Fund Campaign for the American Red Cross, held a meeting of the chairmen of the drive to discuss the details of the closing of the campaign. Suggestions were made for changes in the setting up of the committees for next year. Mr. Lippard felt confident that the goal would be reached whenever the workers made their final reports. The condition of the country roads and the many cases of measles and mumps have prevented the workers from completing their soliciting.

Oscar DeWolf, county co-chairman with John Ryan, reported five townships have gone over their quotas: Dresden township, I. C. Evans, chairman; Hughesville, W. P. Richardson, chairman; Lake Creek, L. Hoehns, chairman; Longwood, Roy Taylor, chairman, and Prairie, Garnet Haggard, chairman. The other townships are expected to make early reports. The following attended the meeting: Mrs. J. W. Starke, Mrs. Henry Menefee, Ray Lippard, Philip McLaughlin, Joe Rosenthal, Oscar DeWolf, Chester Wolfe, Mrs. Eula R. Spencer and Mrs. A. A. Studebaker.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for medical treatment: Ernest E. Morris, Route 1, Hughesville; Mrs. Paul Repper, of Otterville, and Mrs. George Ficken, of Cole Camp.

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Hazel Jamison, of Smithton.

Dismissed: Bert L. Baley, 322 West Seventh street; Phillips L. Harrison, of Otterville; Marvin Hanigan, 505 East Fourth street, and Mrs. Roy Harms and son, of Routel, Cole Camp.

Dismissed: Mrs. Ellis Teeter, Beaman.

Woodland Hosptal Notes

Dismissed: Mary Alice Thurman, 300 East Sixteenth street.

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. J. F. Johnson, 1400 East Twelfth street.

Tension Off In Coal Fields, Industry Too

No One Admits Mailing Stories to The Newspapers

PITTSBURGH, March 25—(AP)—The tension was off in the coal fields today.

It was off, too, in industries—such as steel—which depend on coal for their operations. It was off among employes of coal-carrying railroads, among river workers who transport coal in barges.

For John L. Lewis had ordered his miners to return to the pits next Monday, ending a two-week work stoppage of 463,000 members of the United Mine Workers in pits east of the Mississippi.

PITTSBURGH, March 25—(AP)—The story of the end of the two-week coal walkout apparently had turned into a cloak and dagger opus today—without the bloodshed.

The burning issue was: Who mailed the mysterious papers.

Announcement that John L. Lewis had ordered his miners back to work next Monday came in special delivery letters in plain white envelopes bearing Pittsburgh postmarks.

There was no doubt of the letters authenticity. The puzzle was who mailed 'em to the news services. The United Mine Workers' district office here insisted the services and the UMW office ran about dead heat in receipt of the letters.

No One Admits Mailing Them

But no United Mine Workers officials can be found who is willing to admit he had anything to do with mailing the stories out.

John P. Busarello, president of UMW Pittsburgh District 5, indignantly denied any connection with the whole business.

"Those letters absolutely were not mailed from my office," he said. "We don't know who mailed them. We don't do business that way.

"When the newspapers started calling our office," Busarello continued, "the girls didn't even know what the reporters were talking about. I would like to know how those letters got from Washington to Pittsburgh. None of our people were down there yesterday."

They Certainly Were Mailed

The family of Joseph Yablonski, UMW international representative of nearby Fredericktown, reported he had been in Harrisburg the last two days. That eliminated him from the running.

It also eliminated the last high UMW officials in the Pittsburgh area who might have been responsible for mailing the letters.

Yet they were mailed.

A query to UMW headquarters in Washington brought back a "no comment" along with the cryptic side remark that the whole matter was being handled in Pittsburgh.

Witness Cocky On The Stand

DETROIT, March 25—(AP)—Recorder's Judge Joseph A. Gillis angrily threatened today to handcuff a cocky, argumentative murder trial defendant on the witness stand.

The threat came after hot words from James Sacchetti, 32, accused in the fatal beating of Elmer B. Jones last summer, broke up the trial for the second straight day.

Also on trial are Ralph Ray Hunter, 25, and Mrs. Evelyn Lari, 21.

Sacchetti stood up on the witness stand and began to shake his fists at attorneys who were questioning him.

"You sit down or I'll restrain you," Judge Gillis barked. "If you want to finish the rest of the trial in handcuffs, you will, and I'll set the record so show."

The judge ordered two policemen to stand beside Sacchetti and warned the witness to stop arguing with the attorneys.

"I'd just as soon argue with you as anyone," Sacchetti shot back.

"Do you think I'm worried about getting 30 days for contempt? I'm innocent and after this is over you can put your (contempt) charge in. You're not going to shut me up."

Guilty of Treason

Mildred Gillars, alias "Axis Sally"

Convicted March 10 of treason she was sentenced to 10 to 30 years in prison today by Federal Judge Edward M. Curran, Washington, D. C., also fined $10,000 and automatically lost hr citizenship.

Protest March Against 'World Peace' Parley

Group Labeled by State Department As 'Red' Propaganda

NEW YORK, March 25—(AP)—Hundreds of pickets sang patriotic songs and prayed as they marched at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel today in protest against the Culture and Scientific Conference for World Peace.

A crowd estimated by police at 8,000 persons encouraged the demonstrators, who at times numbered about 800. The pickets carried draped flags of Soviet-dominated countries in front of the fashionable Park avenue hotel.

NEW YORK, March 25—(AP)—Foes of the "world peace" conference began a mass picketing demonstration outside the Waldorf-Astoria hotel today at the hour foreign delegates started a news conference inside.

Nearly 2,000 persons, gathered in Park avenue, looked on as 150 men and women began their march of protest against the controversial cultural and scientific conference for world peace, which the state department has labeled "a sounding board for Communist propaganda."

Th marchers carried draped flags of countries now behind the Iron Curtain and signs protesting the imprisonment of Cardinal Mindszenty in Hungary. Some wore colorful costumes of their native European lands.

Hundred Policemen There

One hundred policemen were on hand, but there was no disorder. One high police official remarked that "the best thing that could happen would be that the pickets would police themselves and there would be no need for police."

From the crowd of onlookers one well-dressed man called out "it would be better to ignore them."

Another shouted "Leave the Communists alone, don't pay any attention to them. They thrive on publicity."

One marcher carried a sign showing Cardinal Mindszenty behind barbed wire, and bore a quotation from the cardinal "My enemies can take from me no more than my life and that has already been given to God."

Another Sign

Another sign showed the cardinal nailed to a crucifix made of the Soviet hammer and sickle.

The demonstration was sponsored by the newly-formed people's committee for freedom of religion.

Delegates to the conference looked neither to the right or left as they entered the Park Avenue entrance to the hotel. The sponsors of the conference had asked police to protect delegates from possible interference in attending the three-day sessions beginning tonight at the Waldorf-Astoria.

As th demonstration proceeded, additional pickets joined the march. Women said their rosaries and other persons in line offered an invocation for freedom of religion.

'Axis Sally' Sentenced To Prison

Found Guilty of Treason; Also is Fined $10,000; Loses Citizenship

WASHINGTON, Mar. 25—(AP)—Mildred E. (Axis Sally) Gillars today was sentenced to 10 to 30 years in prison for treason.

Federal Judge Edward M. Curran also fined her $10,000.

Loss of citizenship is automatic on conviction of treason.

Miss Gillars, 48-year-old Maine-born woman, was convicted March 10. Sentence was delayed until her attorneys could argue motions for a new trial.

Just before passing sentence, Judge Curran denied these motions.

James J. Laughlin, attorney for Miss Gillars, served notice of an appeal. He told reporters the case would be fought up to the Supreme Court.

Miss Gillars broadcast the "Axis Sally" programs for the Nazi radio during the war. Her treason conviction was based on the broadcast of one propaganda drama called "Vision of Invasion."

She took her sentencing dry-eyed and, at the end of the proceedings, threw her head back and walked with swift, short steps from the court room to be returned for the time being to the District of Columbia jail.

No Prison Named

Judge Curran did not specify where she will serve her sentence. He left this to the Federal Bureau of prisons.

The 10 to 30 year sentence means that, under ordinary circumstance, Miss Gillars will be eligible for parole after serving 10 years, or one-third of the maximum.

If, when eligible for parole, she should be unable to pay the $10,000 fine she could take an oath that she is without funds and would serve an additional 30 days in lieu of paying the fine.

Mrs. Edna Mae Herrick, half sister of the radio actress, was in the court room at the sentencing. Afterward, a reporter asked her how she thought Miss Gillars had stood the judge's decision.

Mrs. Herrick said:

"I don't think Ethel Barrymore could have received the verdict any better."

Not In Top Conferences

Before passing sentence, Judge Curran remarked that the trial evidence showed that Miss Gillars did not take part in high level Nazi propaganda policy conferences as was the case of Douglas Chandler and Robert Henry Best.

Chandler and Best were other Americans who gave propaganda aid to the Germans. They were tried for treason at Boston and sentenced to life.

"You are now going on 49, is that correct?" Judge Curran asked.

"Yes," Miss Gillars replied.

The judge then pronounced the sentence.

First, Curran, after denying the motion for a new trial, directed Miss Gillars to stand up. He asked her if she cared to say anything, explaining that she did not have to do so.

She immediately launched into a long statement which the judge called an argument.

She Doesn't Understand

He said he did not want her to make an argument, commenting that her attorney, James J. Laughlin had done that.

She said several times, "I don't understand" how the jury convicted her.

Miss Gillars was convicted of one of the eight alleged treasonable acts on which the government offered evidence. No evidence was presented on two others set forth in the indictment.

The "Vision of Invasion," was broadcast by the Nazis a month before the Allies landed in Normandy.

Miss Gillars portrayed Evelyn, an Ohio mother who dreamed her son was killed in the invasion.

The government charged the broadcast was beamed to Americans at home and abroad as part of Nazi propaganda and as an instrument of psychological warfare.

Ellsworth Green In Kansas City, Kas.

Ellaworth Green, former secretary of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, more recently in Freeport, Ill., has now taken up his residence in Kansas City, Kas., where he is secretary-manager of the Kansas City, Kas., Chamber of Commerce.

The family, Mr. and Mrs. Green and daughter, Ellie Linn, are living at 2000 West 49th street, Terrace, Kansas City, Kas.

Mr. Green has already entered into the Greater Kansas City activities, and is on the American Royal board of governors.

Nazi Police Chief Executed

AMSTERDAM, the Netherlands, March 25.—(AP)—The Chief of German police during the occupation of the Netherlands was executed today, it was officially announced.

The chief, Henns Nalbin Rauter, was sentenced to death for war crimes by a Dutch court.

Living Costs Slipped Back to Where They Were in 1948

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Living costs have slipped back almost to where they were at the start of 1948.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics reported last night that a 1.1 per cent drop in its consumer's price index between January 15 and February 15 brought the cost of living to within 0.9 per cent of the figure for a year ago.

It marked the fifth month in a row during which there was a drop in the price of things people buy. And it was one of the sharpest drops for one months since the war.

The index is based on a comparison between present prices and those of the 1935-1939 period in 56 cities.

The latest index was 169 per cent of the average for those prewar years—27 per cent higher than June 1946, when price controls were lifted, and 71 per cent higher than the figure for August 1939.

Big Drop in Food Prices

The big drop came in food prices, whose index went down 2.5 per cent during the month. That was still 199.7 per cent of the 1935-1939 average, but it was eight points below the peak hit on July, 1948—or just where it was a year ago.

Eggs, fats, oils and dairy products hit their lowest point in at least a year and a half. Wearing apparel dropped 0.7 per cent and house furnishings 0.5 per cent during the month.

But automobile prices went up a little, and the bureau reported a 0.2 per cent increase from mid-January to mid-February in residental rents—a rent increase of 0.9 per cent for the three months ending February 15.

'Operations 30' For Swoose, The Strange Bird That Flies

LOS ANGELES, March 25.—(AP)—It's "Operations 30" tomorrow for the Swoose, a queen which refused to die.

The gallant flying fortress, the only warplane in service from Dec. 7, 1941, to V-J day, is making the first leg of her last flight.

The heroine of William L. White's book, "Queens Die Proudly," leaves here for Chicago. There she'll be hangared until the Smithsonian Institution's national air museum is built in Washington, D. C.

And in the museum the lone survivor of the original U. S. Far Eastern air force will find her final resting place, along with other battle-scarred sky veterans.

At her controls tomorrow will be the man who skippered her through the war, Col. Frank Kprtz, formerly of Los Angeles and now of Washington, D. C.

Some of Original Crew Aboard

Four members of her original crew also will be aboard: Maj. Harry Schrieber, Galveston, Tex., her navigator; Capt. Roland Boone, Hemet, Cal., gunner; Maj. Charles T. Reeves, Bakersfield, Cal., bombardier, and Capt. Harold Varner, San Rafael, Cal., crew chief.

"We have a hell of a lot of nostalgia tied up in that old gal," Colonel Kurtz said.

It was his affection for the Swoose which inspired his pretty blonde wife, Margo, to write the book, "My Rival, the Sky." Their four-year-old daughter, Margo, Jr., is nicknamed "Swoosey."

On her fuselage can still be seen the strange bird, half swan, half goose, from which she got her name. Under the picture are two words and a question mark: "It Flies?"

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Dizzy Funeral For Veterans Pension House Bill

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—The Veterans' pension bill seems dead for this year, buried by the house. It had a dizzy funeral, one of the strangest.

Thinking of the Veteran when election comes around, house members approached the bill like a man examining the teeth of a lion. One of them, unabashed, told newsmen ironically:

"This is where I rise above principle and vote political."

But another, less gay about voting for something he didn't believe in, told reporters:

"It isn't a question of whether I'm for or against the bill, but whether I want to get re-elected. So I'll have to vote for it."

In the end, he voted against it. So did a majority of the congressmen, but it took them three days to take that step. They finally did it by tormenting and disfiguring the bill till its own father wouldn't know it.

Peppery at 67

In this case the father was Rep. John Rankin, Mississippi Democrat, a little man with a bright tie and perpendicular white hair. Rankin, a veteran of World War I, is peppery at 67.

His bill would have given veterans of World Wars I and II a pension of $90 a month when they reached 65, whether or not they needed the money.

If the bill ever became law, government officials had warned, it would cast the country $125,000,000,000 in 50 years.

And, thinking of the big debt the country has already, President Truman and his leaders in congress didn't want it.

Right from the first, it seems, the House members didn't want it either, but in the beginning they didn't want to say so publicly where their name and their vote against it would be on record.

Vote Listed by Number

Almost immediately when the bill came up Tuesday a majority of the House voted to kill it. But this was in the kind of vote where their vote was listed by number, not by name.

But, almost as fast, when they were called to vote by name, they voted against killing the bill. In three days they changed their vote five times.

On the second day they began to beat the bill out of shape by voting changes in it, right on the floor. By the time they were through the second day practically no one knew what had been voted into it.

All the while the House had been roundly lambasted in the press for its tactics. And yesterday, Herb Block, cartoonist for the Washington Post which congressmen read, teed off on them.

Bill Back By One Vote

His drawing showed a monstrous fat man, labeled "House of Representatives," bending over while a "congressional medal" was pinned on the seat of his pants by a slap-happy character called "Pension Grab."

The medal read: "For unusual running, dodging and reversing without regard for the call of the duty."

And yesterday the House came back and by one vote—208 to 207—killed the bill. Not outright. The House voted to "send it back to committee." That's something like sending a boy to the graveyard.

When the House votes to send a bill back to the committee the measure almost never comes back on the floor for a vote. In this case it was sent back to Rankin's committee, which had prepared the bill in the first place."

Any Congressman who's questioned about it, can honestly say:

"I didn't vote to kill the bill. But so many confusing changes were made in it on the floor, it had to be sent to committee to be straightened out. Otherwise, we wouldn't have known what we were voting for."

After watching the truck roll over his baby, Rankin said: "That kills this legislation for this congress."

Navy Men Shiver in Scotland

ROSYTH, Scotland — (AP) — British sailors of the aricraft carrier Vengeance back from the Arctic are complaining of the cold — in Scotland.

They shivered because the Navy took away the special protective clothing used in far north tsts.

Boy Gets Kick Out of Football

BLACKPOOL, England —(AP)— Eleven-year-old Geoffrey Kay kicked a football and it came to rest two miles away. The ball stuck on a car bumper and took a long ride before dropping off into a street. The finder turned it in to police. Geoffrey retrieved it the next day.

When is a Hat Not a Hat?

WHEN IT'S A HATNET . . . . Newest wrinkle in the headgear field is a device known as a hatnet, pictured here in three versions. Left is the sports model, with sun visor attached to a white nylon mesh net, to keep the hair in place. Next is the evening hatnet, a heart-shaped halo piped in black velvet, with a net of chenille dotted veiling. The scarf net is right for riding in an open car, has a polka-dotted scarf and a metallic thread net. All budget priced.

Mission Next Week At Clifton City

There will be a mission at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Clifton City, from March 31 to April 2, conducted by the Rev. Father George C. O'Connor. There will be services every evening at 7:45 o'clock and mass every morning at 8:00 o'clock. After each mass an instruction will be given.

The service is not oly for members of their parish, but their non-Catholic friends are welcome.

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TRIM smiled but his mouth was stiff and his instructions panted through it. "It's your turn, Mr. Barselou. Face the wall."

Dumbly, the big man obeyed.

"Put your hands up just like the others." Trim stepped catlike across the deck and shoved the mouth of his pistol into the small of Barselou's back. "Now just hold still."

John Henry felt the perspiration beading his palms. He held his breath back and waited for the moment, the only possible moment. A muscle twitched where Barselou's shirt was tight across his huge shoulders.

John Henry lashed out with his foot at Trim's kneecap. The little man danced back, howling, and stumbled on the uneven timbers.

Over Sin's high shriek came the blanketing roar of colossal rage. With one motion, Barselou jerked a rusty chain loose from its mooring and whipped it ferociously at the cocked hat. The hat spun away crazily. Trim sank to one knee in the center of the gun deck, blood streaming from his bald head. He raised the revolver.

John Henry fought to escape the gyves. He got one hand free of the loose cuff of iron. But Barselou had leaped. With another reverberating roar, he sprang from the gun platform for the crouched figure. The pistol exploded against his chest and in the narrow bowels of the galleon it was like a cannon blast.

Barselou's huge body enveloped the little man, his knees and fists battering, pummeling, mauling. Trim howled and his revolver blasted again.

The deafening noise joined the echoes of the first explosion. They bounded against rocky walls up and down the canyon, doubling and redoubling, until the wooden ship was a trembling fury.

The Reina groaned, shuddered. Then she began to move.

"—collapsing!" Trim yelled in a piercing voice and tried to claw his way from beneath Barselou's flailing bulk. John Henry threw his free arm around Sin's waist and pulled her close.

A subdued rumble was born among the dying echoes. It grew louder and louder. Then the deck tilted.

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CONOVER braced his feet as the gun platform shivered. The deck tilted more and the thrashing bodies before his hypnotized gaze rolled toward the stern. Old timbers creaked agonizingly and sand poured from above. Two of the great overhead planks parted. The stubby root of a mainmast fell through.

A convulsion seized the Reina as the roar of bursting seams soughed in the narrow canyon slot. Trim scrambled from Barselou's grasp and hugged the shifting deck. A hairy hand fastened around one pirate boot and pulled him back. Trim screamed.

John Henry pushed Sin's face harder against his body.

With a climactic ripping of wood, the decks of the Queen collapsed and plunged through the ancient keel for the canyon floor. Trim's final maniacal shriek spun a thread of terror as the two struggling men dropped from sight with the downpour of wreckage. The thin noise was drowned by the crash of timbers grinding into the earth below.

The sound faded away, dividing itself among other canyons until there was nothing left.

Dust swirled in the silent air.

Sin opened her eyes. Fearfully, she lifted her face from her husband's shoulder and looked around. She began to cry.

Below them yawned the emptiness of the gorge with its churning column of brown dust. They still stood on the gun platform far above the earth. The reverberations of the echoing gunshots and the violent struggles of the two men had caused most of the hull and rotten decking of the galleon to give way. But the stout curving timbers of the Reina's sides had remained, an empty oval between the canyon walls. The curb on which the Conovers huddled had been part of the funnel through which the ruins of the hulk had poured. And the beam to which three of their four wrists were gyved had stayed up as part of the plank spider web holding the hollow shell of the ship in mid-air

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"WE'RE all right now, honey," said John Henry comfortingly. Then he found his voice and repeated it out loud. Sin kept on sobbing. "It's okay, Sin."

"I know, Johnny," she whimpered. "That's why I'm crying."

Gingerly, Conover pried at their iron cuffs. Two of the rusty hinges bent open easily. His own gyve broke apart in his hands. He tossed the pieces at the wreckage below.

The dust cloud was thinning and settling now. He could make out the dead campfire and the startled horses neighing and rearing at the new mountain of rubble that had poured from the sky. To the east, the red disk of morning sun had just topped the mountains to beam on the jigsaw cracks of the Badlands.

John Henry took a deep breath. As soon as Sin felt better, they'd climb down the cliff again to the horses. In the daylight, it would be easy to retrace their trail to Walking Skull—and then civilization. It was going to be another hot day.

Sin finally got her sobs under control. They looked down into the depths of the canyon silently Far below, nothing moved in the heap of broken timbers that had once been the Manila galleon.

"Funny," she said softly. "I feel sorrier for the Queen than I do for anybody."

Her husband put a gentle arm around her waist. To one side of the wreckage, John Henry thought he saw the crushed shape of a three-cornered hat.

"The poor old Queen," he agreed. "It took a long time for the pirates to catch her. But Sin, she put up a wonderful fight."

THE END

strength or brains to whip his competition. There is fear in his failing heart.)

Desire to Have Fun

3 — The third grindstone is man's inextinguishable desire to kick up his heels at any age in any climate — and have fun.

(Self-pleasure becomes an oppressive duty to men who are victims of the first two grindstones of life. They think that only by becoming roosters again can they get rid of the first two grindstones around their necks.)

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Hal Boyle Says

By Hal Boyl

NEW YORK, March 24—(AP)—Th poor man's philosopher says:

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The three grindstones of life, common to all men, are those of duty, doubt and desire:

1 — A man's growing sense of responsibility as he takes over the duties of maturity.

Must Make a Sale

(He knows, if he is a rug salesman, that he can't make a down payment on his boy's college education — the boy who is never to suffer as he did — unless he can sell an off-color green carpet to a lady who wanted an off-blue color, but who isn't quite sure what that is.)

2 — The second grindstones is his developing feeling, as he ages, of a sense of physical insufficiency to deal with the problems his new position requires.

(All his life he wanted to be promoted to a certain job. Now that he has it he is uncertain and doesn't know what to do with it. He is tired. The boss he complained about is no longer there. He is on top and has nobody to blame but himself. He feels the fresher, younger man under him is trying to get his job. And he doubts in his heart whether he has the courage or strength or brains to whip his competition. There is fear in his failing heart.)

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Annual Dinner For Teachers

The annual dinner given by the Smith-Cotton Parent-Teacher Association for the teachers of Smith-Cotton high school, was held at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Epworth Methodist church, Broadway and Engineer avenue.

William Morgan, president, presided. Following the dinner a feature of entertainment was "Twenty Questions" patterned after the radio program by that name.

A spelling bee was also enjoyed, with three members of the executive board of the P. T. A. matched against three facpity members. The teachers won the contest.

The dinner was attended by 48 persons.

Special guests were Heber U. Hunt, superintendent of schools, and Mrs. Hunt; Joe Benson, principal of Smith-Cotton.

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Social Events

The March meeting of the Smithton Garden club met in the home of Mrs. E. E. Holtzen with Mrs. P. V. Siegel assistant hostess.

The president, Miss Laura Kruse, presided over the business meeting.

Discussion was held on the bazaar and food sale which is to be held at the Hoehns feed store, the proceeds to be used on a landscaping project of the club.

Mrs. E. E. Holtzen gave some suggestions on pruning.

A paper on crepe myrtle, prepared by Mrs. Henry Schlotzhauer, was read by Mrs. John Allen, as Mrs. Schlotzhauer was ill and could not attend.

Mrs. H. L. Hill told of her trip to St. Louis where she attended the flower show, emphasizing mantle and figure arrangements.

Mrs. C. L. Carter of Sedalia, who is second vice president of the State Garden club was to have been the guest speaker but because of bad weather was unable to attend.

Awards for arrangements; forsythia, first, Mrs. E. S. Holtzen; second, Mrs. Virgil Quint. Spring flowers, first, Mrs. H. L. Hill, second honorable mention, Mrs. L. E. Wagenknecht. Begonia blossoms, first Mrs. F. L. Bodenhamier.

Miss Clara Lindemann was a guest. The hostess served refreshments in keeping with St. Patrick's Day.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Allen, with Mrs. Robert Griffin assisting.

The members of the T. A. G. club went to Kansas City, Sunday, and spent the afternoon at the Pla-Mor in ice skating and bowling. Mrs. Gill Sublett and Mrs. John Zulauf furnished the club's transportation.

Members of the club are: Misses Sherry Edwards, Peggy Shull, Judy Scotten, Ruthanne Zulauf, Kay Sublett, Janet Seaberg, Alice Rissler, Bobbie Ann Dale and Cynthis Mynatt, reporter.

Looking Backward

• Forty Years Ago

Attorney Lee Montgomery, of this city, and Judge John D. Lawson, of Columbia, dean of the law department of the University of Missouri, left for Kansas City to arrange for the state meeting of the Missouri State Bar association.

Circuit Judge Louis Hoffman read a paper on "Circumstantial Evidence" before the Nehemgar club. Members of the legal fraternity, who were invited to the meeting, took part in the discussion that followed.

Dr. C. L. Allen, of Kansas City, a young veterinarian, has arrived to arrange for practice of his profession here.

Harry H. Harnsberger has resigned as deputy county collector and has taken a position as traveling representative for an importing firm with headquarters in St. Louis. He will work out of Sedalia and travel in Missouri and northern Kansas.

Forty-seven applicants for positions as teachers in the schools of the county are taking examinations here under supervision of T. R. Luckett, county superintendent of schools.

Mitchum's D-Day Is March 30th

LOS ANGELES, March 25.—(AP)—Robert Mitchum, deeply tanned and sporting a mustache, is back in the county jail for the finish of his sentence on a marijuana conviction.

The screen hero has been doing an outdoor stint for some five weeks at the county honor farm and appeared trimmer as well as tanner. He boasted of an .800 batting average as a second baseman in intercamp softball games.

His behavior apparently has been exemplary. The 60-day sentence has been chopped to 50—five days off for each month—for good behavior. D Day, for departure, is now set for March 30 for both Mitchum and Lila Leeds, the pert little blonde who received the same sentence.

Charles J. McEniry Will Filed in Court

The will of the late Charles J. McEniry, drawn up July 6, 1948, was filed in probate court this morning.

Having heretofore made provisions for one son, John Robert McEniry, and a daughter, Mrs. Jane Hogan, he bequeathed his interest in "The Smoke House" to his sons, Charles Burns McEniry and Joe McEniry.

All the rest of the residue was left to his wife, Mrs. Helen McEniry.

Joe McEniry and Lawrence Barnett were named as joint executors of the will.

Traffic Cases

Three overtime parking bonds of one dollar each were forfeited in police court this morning.

Quisenberry Club Meeting

A meeting of the Quisenberry Home Economics Club was held on March 23 with Mrs. J. W. Eirls and Mrs. T. E. Owens as hostesses, at the former's home.

The morning session was led by Mrs. Paul Read and Mrs. Orin Chappel, who prepared and demonstrated vegetable and salad dishes which were served with the noon meal. The true or false test on "how good is your canned food" and a recipe of one dish meal were given.

Mrs. Carl Johnson led the afternoon meeting and a report was given of clothing that the club sent to the Navajo Indians.

Roll call was answered with each member naming her favorite magazine. Mrs. Roy Chaney led the devotional prayer. Mrs. L. H. Haggard read a collection of poems of which one was given to each of the members and guests to read.

Games and songs in keeping with St. Patrick's Day was led by the song and game leader.

Mrs. Josephine Flora, of Columbia, Mo., Mrs. Frank McKeney, Mrs. Lula Neitzert, Mrs. Claud Arnett and Miss Gladys Arnett were special guests.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. L. H. Haggard.

South Abell Club Meeting

The South Abell Extension club met at the home of Mrs. Raymond Chancy.

Mrs. Mason Riley as assistant hostess.

At the noon hour a contributive dinner was served.

Mrs. E. E. Barrick, president, conducted the business meeting, which was opened by singing the club song, and repeating the club collect. Roll call was answered by 13 members telling about "My Pets."

Mrs. Charley Meyers gave a reading on plants and flowers and Mrs. Mason Riley read the scripture.

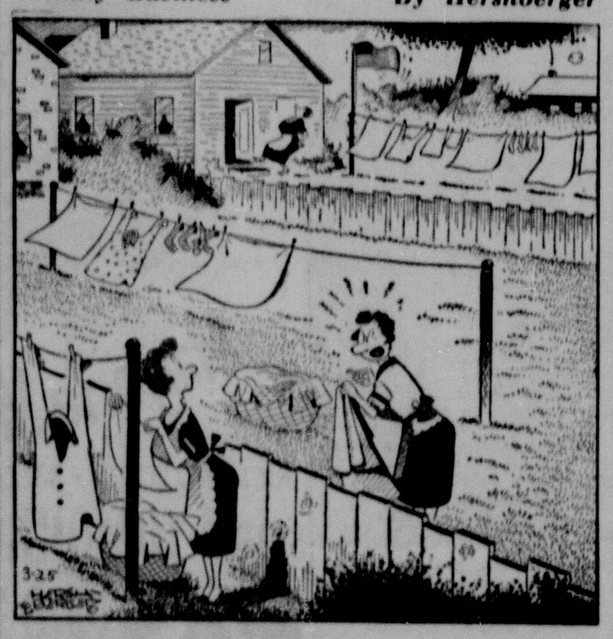
Mrs. T. B. Stockstill gave out literature on home canning and talked of foods demonstration.

The club voted to give $2.00 to the Red Cross drive.

Mrs. J. Kehl was a visitor.

The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Henry Anderson, with Mrs. A. K. Smith as assistant hostess.

Funny Business — *By Hershberger*



"It's not enough that she beats us hanging out the wash —she has to rub it in, dedicating it with a flag!"

Churchills to Washington

While Mrs. Churchill puts out a cigarette, her husband, Winston Churchill, reaches impatiently for his watch to see the time of departure of his train from New York for Washington. The wartime Premier of Great Britain is scheduled to meet with President Truman while in Washington. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Her Story Much Tamer Today

ST. LOUIS, March 25.—(AP)—An 18-year-old girl from Nashville, Tenn., Carol Janet White, told police a somewhat tamer story today after sleeping on her original tale of a brief hold-up career.

Patroiman Maurice O'Neill, Jr., who spotted her on a downtown street late yesterday from a picture he was carrying, said she admitted shooting and wounding a taxi driver near Woodbury, Tenn., March 5, but backed down from her statement about a hold-up tour ranging from the South to Detroit.

O'Neill quoted her as saying, in a new statement this morning, "I just got started lying last night and kept on."

He said she told of shooting George Patrick, 35, a cab driver, three times after he "got fresh" with her. Then, she said, she "ran through some fields to another road and hitch-hiked to Nashville."

O'Neill said she gave these further details in her second statement: She stole a 45 calibre pistol in Nashville and went to Woodbury to visit friends. She couldn't find the friends and took the cab for Nashville. After the shooting, she hitch-hiked to Nashville, Detroit, Toledo and Cincinnati, where she sold the pistol. In Knoxville she bought a 32 calibre pistol, but never obtained a bullet for it. She hitch-hiked to St. Louis yesterday in a truck.

Traffic Violator Fined

A traffic violator was fined Thursday in circuit court, and another was fined Wednesday.

Wilbur Lee Biers was fined $75 and costs, and had his Iowa driver's license suspended for one year on a charge of driving while intoxicated.

Warren Anderson Speed paid a fine of $25 and costs for careless and reckless driving.

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Lulu Rimel, wife of F. O. Rimel, Route 3, is a patient at Research hospital, Kansas City, where this morning she underwent an operation.

Truck Lacked Proper Markings

Operating a 1948 Ford pick-up truck with improper markings cost Robert Henry Long, 918 South Stewart avenue, five dollars and court costs in Magistrate court today.

There is a law in this state which requires the name and address, local or long distance hauling, be shown on a truck.

Here To Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Embry, of Denver, Colo., will leave tonight for their home, after coming to Sedalia to attend the funeral of Elwood Embry, who was killed last week in an automobile accident.

Others here to attend the funeral were his uncle, Emmett Wood, and family, of Detroit, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Strine and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stillfield, of Maysville.

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Funds Included For Building Dam

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—The civil functions appropriation bill now before the House contains $125,000 for further planning of the Table Rock dam and reservoir and $8,000 for plans for the Carthage project, both in Missouri.

Rep. Short (R-Mo) told a reporter that the amounts are not earmarked in the bill but committee members said they are included in a lump sum for project planning.

A delegation from the Springfield, Mo., area, including Short, had appeared before an appropriations subcommittee and asked money to start actual construction of the project this year.

Short said the committee allowed nothing for new construction.

"I guess we were lucky to get the $125,000 for Table Rock and $8,000 for Carthage," he said. "Those were the amounts recommended to the committee by the budget for use on the project next fiscal year."

Cooper County Educator Dies

BOONVILLE, Mo., March 25—(AP)—William B. Downing, 75, who was Cooper county superintendent of schools from 1916 to 1932 died last night in a Boonville hospital. His home was near Pilot Grove.

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Records of Two Teams Outstanding

Tyler, Tex., and Compton, Calif., To Clash Tonight

HUTCHISON, Kas., March 25—(AP)—Two of the nation's highest scoring junior college basketball teams will write the 1949 chapter of their rivalry tonight.

Tyler, Tex., junior college and Compton, Calif, will be playing for a finalist berth in the National College Athletic Association basketball tournament.

Tyler will be shooting to avenge two one-point defeats by Compton, but the records for both schools are outstanding.

Compton defeated Tyler 20-19 in the Texas Rose Bowl football game in 1947 and came back last year to win 66-65 in the first annual junior college basketball tournament at Springfield, Mo.

The tournament records leave little to choose between the two. Tyler advanced to the semifinals with a 64-42 victory over Bayonne, N. J., and a 78-63 decision over Brainerd, Minn. That maintained Tyler's season scoring average of better than 70 points per game.

Compton blasted Benton Harbor, Mich., 81-49 in the first round and went through a five-minute overtime to win from Mremerton, Dash., 62-61 in the second round.

Big Contest At 6:30

The Tyler-Compton game is scheduled for 6:30 p. m. (CST).

Grant Tech of Del Paso Heights, Calif., and Hutchinson, Kas., are the other semifinalists, meeting at 8 p. m.

Hutchinson upset Dodge City, Kas., 55-48, last night and Grant Tech beat Weber College of Ogden, Utah, 65-58.

In consolation games yesterday Campbellsville, Ky., eliminated Sayre, Okla., 68-57; Joliet, Ill., eliminated Tifton, Ga., 64-57, and Olympic of Bremerton, Wash., eliminated Brainerd, Minn., 71-65.

Three consolation games are scheduled this afternoon and one tonight:

1 p. m.—Webster City, Ia., vs. Campbell College, Buie's Creek, N. C.

2:30 p. m.—Campbellsville, Ky., vs. Joliet, Ill.

4 p. m.—Dodge City, Kas., vs. Weber College, Ogden, Utah.

The Webster City-Campbell winner and the Campbellsville-Joliet winner will meet at 9:30 p. m.

Olympic College of Bremerton, Wash., will meet the Dodge City-Weber College winner at 6:30 p. m. Saturday for fourth place.

Coach Feels Optimistic

By Jack Hewin

SEATTLE, March 25 — (AP) — Basketball coach Adolph Rupp doesn't know how good his Kentucky Wildcats really are — they win too often.

Rupp was only half joking last night when he told that to the Seattle Cougar club. His Wildcats, who defend their National Collegiate Athletic Association championship here Saturday night against Oklahoma A&M have lost only two games in 31 played this year.

"Coach Hank Iba's Oklahoma Aggies are dangerous every time they play," Rupp conceded, "but if my boys play up to their ability it will take a truly great team to beat them."

"The first ten minutes will decide the game," said Ed Hickey, whose St. Louis Billikens edged out Kentucky and lost to Iba's Aggies.

"If big Al Groza and his Kentucky mates can get six or eight points ahead, they're a cinch," expounded Hickey. "If the Aggies can hold them off, I look for Iba's crew to break through with a second half drive and win."

Slats Gill of Oregon State, which meets Illinois in tomorrow night's preliminary game, was high on the Aggies. Recalling his game with Iba's men in the western finals at Kansas City, Gill said "we tried everything we knew and had no luck with anything."

Each of the teams had an hour or more on the University of Washington pavilion floor yesterday afternoon and evening and planned repeat workouts late today.

Keith Smith, sophomore guard of Oklahoma A&M, is suffering from an ankle infection and Iba did not expect him to be able to play Saturday night.

Dixie Walker Top Hitter For Pirates

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 25—(AP)—The old man with the scythe apparently hasn't done any harm to Dixie Walker as a hitter.

Even though Walker, now nearing 39, got to training camp 10 days late, he is top man among the three Pittsburgh Pirates who are slapping the apple at a .400 clip or better.

Dixie was going strong when the 1949 season finished—he was leading the club with a mark of .316. He didn't let up over winter. With 10 of the 34 exhibition games out of the way, he has banged out eight base hits in 19 trips for an average of .421.

What the other boys on the team want to know is this: With Dixie Walker spending all his time as the National League player representative—holding press conferences, sending out questionnaires, counting votes—how does he find time for enough practice to stay on top of the club's batters.

MIAA Indoor Track Meet On Saturday

Maryville Favored To Win The Meet Held at Columbia

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 25—(AP)—Rolla School of Mines will defend its MIAA indoor track and field championship in Brewer field house here tomorrow, but the Miners are expected to have no easy task in taking this one.

Coach Gale Bullman of Rolla joins the other coaches in complaining that unfavorable weather has made preparations for the meet very unsatisfactory.

Several of the coaches said their squads had gotten less than a month—and that interrupted — because of cold weather.

"Maryville has much power in the weights and sprints," Bullman said, "and likely will win the meet."

The Miners are expected to come up with considerable points however, with J. C. Corbin, hurdles; George Bock, shot putter; and Don Smith, middle distances and Norman Turner, middle distances.

Cape Girardeau, which beat Rolla by one half a point, 42½ to 32, for the outdoor crown last year, and Springfield, second to Rolla in the indoor, also are expected to make bids for the title tomorrow.

Coach Ryland Milner of Maryville, has a well balanced squad headed by Pat Zuchowski, sprinter and Al Wormsley, in the shot put. Wormsley won the outdoor shot last year.

McDonald a Threat

Joe McDonald, coach of Cape Girardeau, has an outstanding middle distance star in Ralph Corse who set the mile record for the meet at 4:33 last year. H also will be a threat in the half-mile. McDonald says Cape is not up to championship caliber in the sprints and hurdles but claims capable performers in shotputter Dayle McDaniel, and broad jumpers Bobby Coffey and Tom McEwen.

Coach Claude Groves of Springfield doesn't expect his team to be a contender, pointing out that the Bears have had only five days suitable for practice.

Boyd King, of Kirksville and Bib Broach of Warrensburg, each making their first start as track coaches in the MIAA have several capable performers, but neither figures to come up with a championship contender.

Only three letter men will be included in the Kirksville squad of eight or ten men, according to King, who says "I'll be surprised if we win any points."

Wrestlers Tug For Honors

FORT COLLINS, Colo., March 25—(AP)—Wrestlers from 37 schools start tugging with each other today for National Collegiate Athletic Association honors.

Oklahoma A. and M. is strongly favored to retain the team title it has held for 15 years. Nearly 150 athletes are competing in the eight weight divisions. Champions will be crowned Saturday night in these weights: 121 pounds, 128, 136, 145, 155, 165, 175 and heavyweight.

Last year's runnerup Michigan State is regarded again as the chief contender for the Oklahoma Aggies' monoply.

Thurman McGraw, Colorado A. and M.'s massive football tackle, is expected to provide some sharp competition for Dick Hutton, Oklahoma A. and M.'s defending champ in the heavyweight division. McGraw and Hutton tussled to a draw in a recent dual meet. That victory by Oklahoma A. and M. over the Colorado Aggies was the Oklahomans' 68th consecutive triumph in dual competition.

Oklahoma Aggies' title defending team is made up of the same wrestlers as last year's with one exception.

Cage Title to be Decided Tonight

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 25—(AP) — Nine Missouri National guard basketball teams take the floor here today and tonight to decide the services cage title.

Among the entries, all victors in their own guard leagues, are the defending champions, Battery B, 128th Field Artillery, Columbia, and the runner-up quintet, the headquarters Battery of the 128th Field Artillery of Maryville.

Matched in the opening game are the headquarters company 205th medical battalion of Kansas City and the heavy mortar company, 140th infantry, Salem.

The winner of this game will enter the first round, meeting headquarters battery, 129th FA of Maryville at 9 p. m. tonight.

Other first round games today:

Headquarters company, 140th infantry, Cape Girardeau vs Co. I, 138th inf., St. Louis, 2 p. m.

Headquarters Co., 35th division, Warrensburg vs Troop F, 108th Calvary Squadron, Monett, 3:30 p. m.

Battery B, 128th FA, Columbia vs Co. K, 140th infantry, Kennett 7:30 p. m.

Giant Team Welcomes Howie Pollet

Latest Trade Rumor Has Howie On Way to N. Y.

By the Associated Press

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., March 25—(AP)—The "latest" trade rumor in the camp of the New York Giants has Howie Pollet, stylish St. Louis Cardinal lefthander on the way to the Polo Grounders.

Pollet would be a welcome addition to Leo Durocher's crew for two reasons, he can pitch and he has been one of the Cards' most effective hurlers against the home run hitting Giants. Pollet has a 14-4 lifetime record against the New Yorkers. Outfielder Bobby Thomson is the Giant player involved in the supposed Pollet deal.

BRADENTON, Fla., March 25—(AP)—A pair of Texas leaguers, second baseman Johnny Lane and first sacker Charley Kress, may hold down the right side of Cincinnati's infield on opening day, Manager Bucky Walters said today.

Both fancy fielders, Lane and Kress, late of Tulsa, have been belting the ball at such a clip they figure to beat out second baseman Bobby Adams and Benny Zientara and first baseman Ted Kluszewski for starting jobs.

BURBANK, Calif., March 25—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns have cut loose three young pitchers. Don Larsen was sent to the Browns' training base at Pine Bluff, Ark. John Crocco goes back to San Antonio and Bud Swartz was optioned to Portland of the Pacific Coast lague by Baltimore, which has a working agreement with the Browns.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 25—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals journey to Lakeland, Fla., today to play the Detroit Tigers.

Gerry Staley, Bill Reeder and Cloyd Boyer were slated to hurl for the Cards. St. Louis failed to get the customary good pitching yesterday and dropped a 5-4 decision to the Philadelphia Phils in 11 innings.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25—(AP)—Manager Lou Boudreau's intermittent appearances in the Cleveland Indians' lineup have netted him a .571 batting average.

Boudreau has hit 12 times in 21 tries. Yesterday he got a double and two homers in five attempts as the Tribe whipped the Chicago Cubs 7 to 4 in Los Angeles. It was Lou's bat that put the Tribe back into the winning column after four straight losses by one-run margin.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, March 255—(AP)—Prediction: Hank Iba's Oklahoma Aggies will knock off Adolph Rupp's Kentucky Wildcats in the NCAA basketball final at Seattle tomorrow. . . . Reason is that Hank is the best one-game coach in the business. Given reasonably good material, which is just what he has, Iba usually can come up with something to stop any rival — St. Louis, for instance. . . . Loyola showed that Kentucky can be stopped and the Wildcats showed some unaccountable "flat" spots against Illinois. . . . Could be that Groza, Jones & Co., who have been practicing or playing almost continously since September, 1947, have had too much basketball.

Airy Conversation

When Charlie Speidel, Penn State wrestling coach, decided to take his eastern heavyweight champ, Homer Barr, to the NCAA championships at Fort Collins, Colo., this weekend, he figured it would be good to travel by air. But Charlie wasn't sure Homer would like it. So he tried the indirect approach. . . . "Do you like flying?" Speidel asked. Barr indicated it was okay. . . . "Then you wouldn't mind flying to Fort Collins for the Nationals?" "No," Barr responded quietly "You see, Mr. Speidel, I already have my pilot's license."

Springfield Harlows Reached Semi-Finals

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 25—(AP)—The Springfield Harlows were the first team to reach the semi-finals of the Independent Basketball Association of America tournament.

The Harlows eliminated Clever, Mo., last night 55 to 38.

The Rolla Rockets advanced to the quarter finals by defeating Stover, Mo., 59 to 39 in the last second-round game.

Three-quarter final games are booked for tonight. At 7 p. m. Benton, Ky. will meet the Ozark Millers; at 8:15 p. m. Conway, Mo. will play the Springfield Lions, and at 9:30 p. m. Rolla will face the Joplin Tamkos.

The semi-finals will be played tomorrow afternoon and the finals tomorrow night.

Paterson Declares He Has Fought His Last Fight

LIVERPOOL, England, March 25—(AP)—Scotland's Jackie Paterson has announced an end to his turbulent boxing career after losing his British and Empire bantamweight championship.

Paterson was soundly-beaten in a 15-round title fight last night by Stan Rowan, 24-year-old Liverpool fighter. Each weighed 117.

"I've fought my last fight," declared the Glasgow, Scotland, veteran after his defeat.

Finalists Meet In AAU Tourney

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 25—(AP)—It's a cinch a Nashville team will win the Women's National A. A. U. basketball tournament championship tonight.

The finalists are Nashville Business college and the Nashville Goldblumes.

The Tennessee teams won their semi-final games last night, beating the Elkin, N. C., Chathams and the Winston-Salem, N. C., Hanes Hosiery quintets.

The Goldblumes, defending champions, trounced Elkin, 36-27. Nashville Business college defeated Winston-Salem, 29-21.

A consolation bracket championship game will be played tonight also between the Little Dixie Queens of McAlester, Okla., and the Okmulgee, Okla., Cardinals at 6:45 p. m. (CST).

McAlester's Queens, called the "Iron Girls" because they have no substitutes, beat the Kansas City, Kas., Sparkies, 17-16, last night in an overtime game. Okmulgee defeated Magnolia Arkansas A. & M., 42-36.

The championship game is at 9:30 p. m. The third place game is at 8 p. m.

Lacy May Set College Record

By Ben Funk

DENVER, March 25—(AP)—Jim Lacy, the southpaw set shot artist from Loyola of Baltimore, seemed a dead cinch to set a new all-time college basketball scoring record as the National Catholic tournament moved into the semi-finals today.

Lacy, covered like a blanket by hustling Jack Brasch, still managed to squeeze out 13 points as Loyola defeated Gonzaga of Spokane, Wash., 53-51 in last night's quarter-finals.

This ran his four-year total to 2158, just three points shy of the record held by Brooms Abramovic of Salem college and Lacy has two more games to go. If Loyola loses to Regis of Denver in tonight's semi-finals the team will play in the consolation finals.

Salem college officials claimed yesterday that Abramovic actually scored 2170 points—that there was a nine point mistake in the record books. But barring a broken leg or an attack of Rocky mountain spotted fever, Lacy should easily beat that figure too.

St. Francis of Brooklyn, N. Y. and St. Benedict's of Atchison, Kas. The surprise teams of the tournament collide at 8:30 p. m. (CST) and Yoyola meets second seeded Regis at 10 p. m., tonight.

Lacy hit a basket and a free throw in the last minute to give Loyola its quarter final victory over fourth seeded Gonzaga and the brawling St. Francis team humbled third seeded St. Thomas 59-41.

Plea to Farmers To Guard Forest

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25—In a plea to farmers not to burn their woods, State Forester Geo. O. White pointed to Missouri's 15,000,000 acres of potentially productive forest land.

White said this area could, under proper care, provide an annual crop of lumber and farm wood products worth five times the present cash return. "As it is," states the chief forester, "this vast area has been rendered more of a liability than an asset to the people of the state due primarily to the mistaken belief that fire is a 'must' toward range improvement."

Over two-thirds of Missouri's annual 6,000 wildfires are caused through man's neglect or intent, the forester said, as he urged the owners to refrain from any form of burning during the dry, windy days of March and April. Farmers finding certain control burning necessary are urged to follow these rules. Don't burn on dry, windy days. Burn only in late afternoon after wind has died. Have sufficient help to keep fire under control. Rake a wide path or fire-line around the pile or area to be burned. Burn against the wind. Do not leave fire until it is absolutely out.

Wild Ducks Died Of Lead Poison

GLASGOW, March 25—The estimated 2,000 wild ducks that died of lead poisoning at the Dalton Cut-off near here a couple of months ago would very likely be alive and quacking today had it not been for an unbalanced diet.

Scientists have found that when a duck picks up a few stray pellets of lead shot along with a steady diet of corn he is practically a dead duck before he knows it.

Dr. Harlow B. Mills, chief of a survey conducted by the Illinois Natural History laboratory at Havana, found that when corn fed mallards were fed only four No. 6 pellets each, nine out of ten birds died within 12 to 30 days. But when ducks having well balanced diets were fed 25 No. 4 lead pellets each, not a single lead poisoning case was recorded.

Harold Terrill, Missouri Conservation Commission biologist, said that with the advent of the mechanical corn picker in the corn belt, ducks are taking advantage of the increased amount of corn left in fields and are staying much farther north of their usual wintering grounds. In this area, as in many others, over wintering ducks have little opportunity for securing a balanced diet with most green stuffs gone or frozen.

Thursday's Exhibition Baseball Results

By The Associated Press

Cincinnati (N) 6, Washington (A) 4.
Philadelphia (N) 5, St. Louis (N) 4 (11 innings).
Detroit (A) 5, New York (A) 0.
Boston (N) 8, Boston (A) 4.
St. Louis (A) 2, New York (N) 0.
Cleveland (A) 7, Chicago (N) 4.

Taking of Gray Foxes With Gun Ends Mar. 31

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25—The legal taking of gray foxes with gun or dog will end March 31. Foxes may be chased by "dogs under control" at any time but may not be taken except during the open season. Grey foxes may be taken by trap, gun, or dog from December 1 to January 20, and by gun or dog from January 20 until March 31.

Brooklyn is Ready For Contenders

Manager Feels As if Team Will Win Pennant

By Jack Hand

VERO BEACH, Fla., March 25—(AP)—Manager Burt Shotton has sold the Brooklyn Dodgers on themselves as the team that should win the National league pennant.

From rookie to veteran, the squad believes it's the best.

Shotton hopes to go with Duke Snider, a powerful farm product, in centerfield. He has moved Carl Furillo, the boy with the rifle arm, to right. In left he probably will start Gene Hermanski.

Snider may be the "long ball" hitter the Dodgers have been chasing for years.

Outfielders

Sorting the outfielders is one of Shotton's main problems. Cal Abrams, a .337 hitter at Mobile, has been slugging the ball in the exhibitions. Tommy Brown, only 21, and who has been around Dodger camps for five years as an infielder, is another contender.

Marv Rackley, the club's top hitter at .327 must get a shot. Likewise ick Whitman and Geo. Shuba, then the club has Mike McCormick, .303 batter with the champion Boston Braves who was acquired in the Pete Reiser deal. Six will stay.

Base Positions

Gil Hodges, converted from a catcher last summer, in the first baseman, and Jackie Robinson is a fixture at second. Pee Wee Reese, now team captain, is at short and probably Billy Cox, "flop" of 1948, at third.

In Cox's way are Spider Jorgensen, regular on the '47 pennant winners and three others. Eddie Miksis will be kept as infield insurance. They may decide to hold onto an additional baseman, either Preston Ward or ee Fondy.

Bruce Edwards, still having arm trouble, heads the catching staff with Roy Campanella, the capable Negro receiver.

Pitching Staff

Ralph Branca and Rex Barney, are the kingpins of the pitching staff. Branca had a 14-9 record last year despite injuries. Barney hurled a no hitter enroute to a 15-13 season. Left hander Joe Hatten (13-10) and Preacher Roe (12-8) are other sure starters.

Harry Taylor, a star in '47 but weakened by an appendicitis operation last year, looks like his old self. Carl Erskine, 15-game winner at Ft. Worth before he joined the Dodgers in July, rates a starting shot. So does Erv Palica (6-6) who did most of his work in the Ebbets Field bullpen. Jack Banta, up from Montreal with a 19-9 report card, has a good chance to make the grade.

Frank Laga, lean submarine ball pitcher and Hank Behrman, No. 2 man to Casey, are available as reliefers.

Fights Thursday Night

By th Associated Press

NEW YORK — Al Guido, 144½ New York, outpointed Leo Sawicki, 147¾, Worcester, Mass., 8.

LIVERPOOL, England — Stan Rowan, 117, Liverpool, outpointed Jackie Paterson, 117, Scotland, 15. (For British and Empire bantamweight title.)

U. S. Hockey League Playoffs

By The Associated Press

Dallas 5, Fort Worth 3 (Dallas wins best of three, 2-0).

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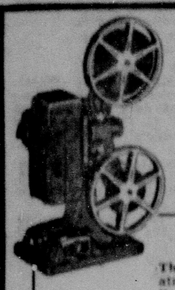

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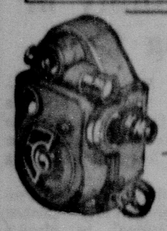

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Incidents of physical healings, as well as the solution of business problems and the restoration of harmony in human relationships through the application of Christian Science were related here Thursday night by Harry B. MacRae, C. S. B. in a public lecture on "Christian Science: Its Practical and Enlightened Way of Freedom," in Christian Science church.

A resident of Dallas, Texas, Mr. MacRae came to Sedalia in the course of a national tour as a member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, established by Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science.

The healings reported by Mr. MacRae were given to illustrate his main theme that freedom, the highest human objective next to life itself, can be rightly found only in the understanding of God and His Christ.

"Our purpose here this evening," the lecturer said, "is to gain more light, or spiritual enlightenment, on a very important subject: Light, that will make available and practicable to everyone who listens with an open thought the way of freedom from every form and phase of earthly trouble as the Master, Christ Jesus taught. The subject is Christian Science, particularly from the standpoint of the practical and enlightened way of freedom which it offers every individual and nation from the bondage and harassment of sickness, sin, hunger, deprivation, sorrow, separation and death—in a word, from the darkness of materiality and mortality.

"Remembering that you have been invited here and, therefore, are surely entitled to the usual courteous treatment accorded to guests, let me assure you that Christian Science lectures are not given for the purpose of urging upon you a doctrine contrary or antagonistic to your own convictions. This would not be freedom but a form of compulsion, and Christian Science is a religion of freedom. It teaches that freedom of which the Apostle Paul spoke to the Galatians (Gal. 5:1): 'Stand fast therefore in the liberty where with Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.'

"Therefore, you may feel perfectly at ease and open-minded. Should some of the statements seem opposed to your view of things, you need but remind yourself that you are listening to an authorized discourse on what Christian Scientists accept and demonstrate daily as the correct and provable concept of God, man and the universe. It is presented here for your thoughtful consideration. And may I add that many well-authenticated healings are taking place at the Christian Science lectures."

The explanation for these healings, Mr. MacRae continued, is the restoration in this age by Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, of the way of freedom taught by Moses and the other Bible seers, and consummated in the living example of Christ Jesus.

"Here is a way of freedom," he added, "so obvious and open, the wonder is that it had not been seen and demonstrated long before this. Paul's clear spiritual discernment that God, being Spirit, must be and is everywhere, revealed also that in the presence of this Spirit there could be no bondage, but only liberty. Man's presence with or oneness with this divine Spirit not only gives liberty, but is liberty.

"The Christian Science textbook 'Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures' by Mary Baker Eddy, states it thus (p. 481): 'Man is tributary to God, Spirit, and to nothing else. God's being is infinity, freedom, harmony, and boundless bliss. "Where the Spirit of the Lord is there is liberty."'

"It would be well were the world today to understand this true, demonstrable concept of freedom which Christian Science reveals, for the threat of dictators and aggressor nations would then be past. Mrs. Eddy in Science and Health (p. 575) saw that the holy city described in the Apocalypse (Rev. 21:16) represents the spiritual glory of Christian Science. 'Mighty potentates and dynasties,' she writes (p. 577), 'will lay down their honors within the heavenly city.'"

Christian Science is based entirely upon the Bible, Mr. MacRae explained, and therefore teaches not one thing that is in the slightest degree contrary or contradictory to the Bible.

"More than any other teaching," he continued, "it shows the Bible to be the true and only guide to spiritual life with its eternal blessings, because it reveals the divine fact that God is Life, the only Life, and that we reflect this Life. 'The central fact of the Bible,' we are told in Science and Health (p. 131), 'is the superiority of spiritual over physical power.'

"The Bible, loved, revered, and respected by all sincere Christians everywhere, has given us the true way of Life through Christ Jesus. This way unfolds and grows ever clearer and more practical, even in our daily affairs, as our spiritual understanding increases. How clearly the Apostle Paul saw this and how impressively he expressed it in these words in the Holy Scriptures: 'For if by one man's offence death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ' (Rom. 5:17)); and, 'For Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to every one that believeth (Rom. 10:4). Christian Science accepts the Word of God as revealed in the Bible, as the law of Life."

The physical healings brought about by Christian Science are due to individual understanding of the Christ, as expounded and demonstrated by Jesus, Mr. MacRae said.

"It was because Jesus so clearly heard the 'divine message' or Christ that he was ever conscious of his oneness with the Father," he added. "It is this 'divine message' of which we become increasingly conscious as we grow spiritually through the study and application of Christian Science, that destroys the false mortal sense of separation from God, divine Love, and establishes us more firmly on the Rock, Christ, Truth.

Intra-Mural Plays Again Tonight

The Smith-Cotton high school Intra-Mural Play contest will be presented again tonight at the high school, with admittance to be by ticket only.

The plays were well received last night, and tonight the plays will be officially judged and winners announced.

No. 9932
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Henry Riley, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 21st day of February, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 21st day of February, 1949.
KURMAN W RILEY,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 21st day of February, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9931
Administratrix's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of John M. Stewart, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of February 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

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This 18th day of February, 1949.
NORA MAY GIBBINS,
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Boyd Takes Over; Gets Back Pay

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Dr. James Boyd collected $10,847.83 in back pay Thursday and formally took over as director of bureau of mines. He had held the post for two years without pay most of the time.

Before the was sworn in, Secretary of Interior Krug handed him a check for $4,532.36. Immediately afterwards, Krug gave him another for $6,315.47.

He still has a third installment coming. The total back pay due him before he received the two checks was $12,000, the department said.

No. 9940
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Margaret Martin, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of March, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 1st day of March, 1949.
WILLIAM MARTIN,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 1st day of March, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Henry C. Salveter.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9942
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Vincent, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 11th day of March, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 11th day of March, 1949.
HENRY C. SALVETER,
Executor.

Attested by me this 11th day of March, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION

By virtue and authority of orders of sale in partition, issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Pettis County, Missouri, dated the 10th day of February, 1949 and the 9th day of March, 1949, and to me directed in favor of Charles L. Hanley, Allie A. Wherley and Henry C. Salveter as Trustees of the Trust Estate of Green McFarland, deceased and Josephine Fichter and Pete McFarland as plaintiffs, and against Clay McFarland, Rosella McFarland Anderson, Ruth Fichte, Ralph McFarland, Floyd McFarland, Donald McFarland, and the possible unborn children of Josephine Fichter, defendants, and it appearing to the court that the plaintiffs are entitled to the relief prayed for in their petition, ordered that the property described in plaintiff's petition be sold by the sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri, as provided by law in such cases. Now therefore, in order to comply with the terms of said order of sale, I, the undersigned sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri, shall proceed to sell the said real estate, so ordered sold, and situated in Pettis County, Missouri, to-wit:

26 acres, being the South Half of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 47, Range 20.

80 acres, being all of Lot 1 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46, Range 20.

The South 28.62 acres of the East Half of Lot 2 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 3, Township 46, Range 20.

57.24 acres, being the West Half of Lot 2 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46, Range 20.

39 acres, being all that part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46, Range 20 lying North of Muddy Creek.

1½ acres, being all that part of the West Half of Lot 1 of the Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Township 46, Range 20, lying North of Muddy Creek.

All of the above described lands being and situate in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri,

and I will on Saturday the 2nd day of April, 1949, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri, and while the circuit court is in session sell the above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand in order to comply with the said order of sale.

Dated this 9th day of March 1949.
JOHN F. TAYLOR,
Sheriff of Pettis County Missouri.
John T. Martin, Attorney.
3-11, 3-18, 3-35, 4-1.

Police Escort For Russian

Russian Composer Dmitri Shostakovich, right foreground, is escorted by policemen as he arrives at LaGuardia field in New York to attend the three-day Cultural and Scientific Conference for World Peace. More than 50 police officers were in and around the airport Terminal building to keep order during the arrival of Shostakovich and six other Russians who also will attend the "peace rally." (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Tommy Delph Now in Alaska With The Navy

Stationed Just 200 Miles From Russian Soil

An interesting letter was written by Thomas E. Delph, SKSA, a storekeeper in the navy, which was received this week by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H.Delph, 1708 South Quincy avenue.

Thos. E. Delph

Known to his many friends as Tommy, young Delph joined the U. S. navy shortly after graduating from the Smith-Cotton high school last spring. He took his boot training at Great Lakes, Ill., and from there was assigned to a trade school in New Jersey, where he successfully completed a course as storekeeper.

Now a salty sailor, Delph is stationed at an airfield just two hundred miles from Russian soil at Kodiak, Alaska. In his lengthy letter to his parents, he asserts that his outfit stationed on the airbase are ready for any tricks the Russians may have up their sleeves. In his letter, he wrote that the ground was covered with American planes, Jet Fighters, Heavy Bombers, etc.

He said the weather in Alaska is not too bad, except for the bitter winds that blow from the ocean. He complimented the Alaskan scenery, and mentioned in the letter he was going skiing as soon as the ice melted off the snow.

While in Seattle, Wash., before shoving off to Alaska, Delph spent a week-end with Britt Bernard, another Sedalia sailor, who joined the salty service prior to Delph's joining up.

Also in Seattle, Tommy mentioned in his letter he had a nice visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Berry. John, who is also a Sedalian, joined the navy about a year ago, and while he was home in December married Dorothy Cowherd. The young couple is now residing on the west coast.

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Eggs	Fresh from Pettis County farms	Doz. 41¢
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Lamb Chops	Loin or ribs	Lb. 39¢
Head Lettuce		2 for 29¢
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Good Potatoes		10 lbs. 39¢
Tender Celery		stalk 12¢
Snowhite Cauliflower		lb. 17¢
Fancy Tomatoes		ctn. 27¢
Crisp Red Radishes		bch. 5¢
White - Yellow - Red Onion Sets		qt. 10¢
White Taystee Bread	Limit 4	loaf 10¢
Nise and White Flour		25 lbs. $1.69
Good Coffee	Our blend	3 lbs. 99¢
Nu-Maid Margarine		2 lbs. 45¢
Rinso or Surf		lge. box 27¢
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Lincoln Boys Meet in Hawaii

Two Lincoln boys had a thrill recently when they met in Hawaii. Pfc. Charles C. Hare, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hare, of Lincoln, is stationed in Hawaii and that far away from home he read the county newspaper, The Benton County Guide. While reading the paper he saw an item about Robert Poague, of Lincoln, telling what ship Poage was on. That was as much as Pfc. Hare wanted to know—when that ship docked at Hawaii he was going to be right there and he was.

Pfc. Hare got aboard the ship and located Poague. He walked up to him and twisted his arm. Poague was so surprised and happy to see an old friend from Lincoln, but he wasn't any happier than Pfc. Hare.

The next day Hare and Herb Williams, also of Lincoln, borrowed the commanding officer's car and took Poague on a sightseeing trip. The next day Poague had to be on his way. On the pier, as the ship moved out to sea, was Pfc. Hare, waving goodbye to his friend.

Taking Time on K-T Measure

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25.—(AP)—The house labor committee is going to take its time on deciding what to do with a bill repealing the King-Thompson utility anti-strike act.

Rep. Thomas A. Walsh (D) of St. Louis, chairman, said no action on the bill probably would be taken for at least two weeks.

"Then we might retain some features of it," he added.

Both labor and industry argued opposite sides on repeal of the act for more than three hours last night.

Labor is for repeal of the act, which was passed by the last legislature. And industry wants to keep it on the books.

The law calls for compulsory arbitration of labor disputes involving the utilities before the mediation board. It also gives the Governor power to take over a utility where labor trouble has caused a work stoppage.

James A. Davis, executive secretary of the State Industrial Union Council, said the utility employe is the only loser under the act. He termed it a nunjust, unfair law.

R. T. Wood, president of the State Federation of Labor, called it a "slave labor act that destroys collective bargaining."

Movie Houses Cut Prices

NEW YORK, March 25—(AP)—Admission price reductions ranging from 10 to 35 cents have been made by six first-run Broadway movie houses to help bolster sagging morning and matinee attendance.

Slighter lowering of night price scales also has gone into effect.

No cuts have been made, however, in week-end and holiday prices.

CORRECTION!

In our advertisement which appeared in The Democrat Thursday evening, Capital Friday morning, the following offer was incorrectly worded, and appear correctly below:

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Two Men Kill Kansas Citian, Escape in Car

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holder in the Hillcrest Country club, where he once served as the golf pro. He also held considerable real estate, had some interest in a wholesale liquor business and, until six months ago, operated a retail refrigerator company.

He was one of six incorporators of a music firm that employs a song writer and promotes songs.

Rimann was married and had a 20-year-old son.

The motor of the murder car still was hot when police found it abandoned in the northeast residential section 34 blocks from the shooting scene. Lack of water in the radiator led to the theory the killers were forced to abandon the car.

But another theory gained greater credence at police headquarters . . . that was the car deliberately was sacrificed and that the killers had another man waiting for them where they abandoned the car.

Combed Neighborhood

This caused police to comb the neighborhood today in an attempt to locate someone who had seen the transfer. Several witnesses at the murder scene said they believed a second car had followed the murder car.

The murder plot nearly was foiled by chance it was learned today. The slaying certainly was delayed a few minutes.

A. J. Stephens, president of a stores fixture concern where Rimann had been before he stepped out to his death, told this story:

"Wolf came in and was talking to J. C. Cantrell, vice-president, whose office adjoins mine, about having some chairs reupholstered for the club. I came in and neither one of them knew I was in my office.

Murder Delayed

"Presently Cantrell came in my office and said Wolf Rimann just is leaving, don't you want to say hello to him?"

"I said, 'Sure call the old rooster back.'

"Cantrell went to the door and by that time Wolf already was in his car and, as a matter of fact, had the key in the ignition.

"Cantrell called him back in and he left the car and almost ran into the building. I told him I wanted to show him a shuffleboard we are making and he said he had never handled shuffleboards before, although several people had told him he should.

"He said to send one out to the club, then told me not to send either the chairs he had ordered or the shuffleboard until I received a call from him this morning; that he had to clear the transaction with his directors.

In A Wonderful Mood

"He was in a wonderful mood, as peppy as could be, obviously with no idea that he was walking from the plant to be killed."

A search was underway for a young woman reported to have been seen driving with Rimann shortly before he left the Stephens company.

As detectives investigated Rimann's numerous business activities the case became increasingly difficult. The police and sheriff's office said they had received information that Rimann was "behind" the appearance of slot machines in Kansas City and Jackson county a month ago.

Dying Wish For Cotton Candy Granted

COLUMBUS, Ga., March 25.—(AP)—Annie Rose Robinson, who got her dying wish for cotton candy, died last night.

Persons throughout Georgia responded when the seven-year-old victim of leukemia made the request last week. Doctors had given her only 24 hours to live. None of the candy was available here.

By her bed when she died was a potted plant decorated with $100 in bills and checks. The money was the gift from schoolmates to buy all the fluffy confection she wanted.

Good Word for Dog Catcher

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 25—(AP)—A good word for the dog catcher came today from Miss Marie French, secretary of the Humane Society.

She reported that Lem Viar, public impounder, sat up all night in a vain effort to save the life of a sick, abandoned puppy about three months old.

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Mercury Peak In Tampa, Fla.

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—Snow, rain and wind storms swept over north central states today.

The snow storm moved from the central Rockies and spread over the Dakotas, northwestern Nebraska and northern Minnesota. There were eight inches of snow on the ground at Sidney, Neb., and four inches at Velentine, Neb.

Winds of 30 to 40 miles per hour accompanied the snowstorm in eastern North Dakota and northern Minnesota. Temperatures in the snow belt were around freezing.

Showers and thunderstorms were reported over a wide area—the middle and lower Mississippi valleys, the Ohio river valley and the upper Great Lakes region. Memphis, Tenn., reported a rainfall of 1.38 inches.

The weather continued mild in the south and middle Atlantic states and fair to cool from the southern plains to California. Maine reported the coolest temperatures, in the low 20's. The mercury climbed to 91 at Tampa, Fla., yesterday, the nation's top mark.

Court Order Is Set Aside

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 25.—(AP)—Federal Judge Charles G. Briggle today set aside his contempt of court finding against Robert L. Knetzer, bankrupt Edwardsville automobile dealer.

The judge announced his decision after conferring with Attorneys in the creditors' hearing on the bankruptcy proceedings.

Judge Briggle yesterday found Knetzer in contempt after he declined to testify about a contract drawn by lawyers last September. The car dealer refused to give details of the contract and the parties involved.

In reversing his ruling today, Judge Briggle said he had been advised by the attorneys there is nothing in the contract that would help uncover any assets Knetzer may have.

Knetzer and his bankrupt associate, Arthur F. Kramer, of Jerseyville, have been indicted for conspiracy to defraud and obtaining money under false pretenses.

The charges grew out of their fabulous business of selling cars at list prices or less. Kramer ran his end of the dealings from an alfalfa field near his home.

No Final Rites On Pension Bill

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—Some lawmakers declined today to pronounce final rites over veterans' pensions, despite the death blow administered yesterday to the multi-billion dollar Rankin bill.

By a wobbly one-vote margin, the house voted to send the amendment-riddled bill, offered by Rep. Rankin (D-Miss), back to the veterans committee for "further consideration." This usually means the end of action.

Administration leaders, who had opposed the bill as being too expensive, were delighter with their slender victory. President Truman told his news conference the House vote was a constructive, forward looking step, which made him exceedingly happy.

Coal Mines 38 Years Ago Are Recovered

GOLDEN CITY, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—Coal mined 38 years ago finally reached the market here this week.

It was sold by Freeman Davis, who told this story:

In 1910 he and his men were digging coal northeast of here. One night they left some 12 tons of coal along with their tools in a "room" of the diggings. When they returned next morning the roof had caved in. Rather than dig the hole out, they began mining at another spot.

This week Davis decided to recover the buried coal. Along with the fuel he found the tools that had been abandoned.

Training Plans For C.A.P. in Operation

The local chapter of the C.A.P. met at 7:00 o'clock Wednesday evening at the high school. The club is now organized and the training plans are now in operation. Membership is open to boys 15-17, who would be cadets, and to anyone 18 and over who would be the senior members. A ham radio operator would prove to be an asset to the club. Any ham interested should contact Harry Trotman.

New Registration Is Very Light

Saturday is the last day for voters of Sedalia, whose names are not on the registration books, to have them placed there before the city election April 5.

Women in charge of the books, who have established headquarters in the City Hall building, stated today the new registration, or change of addresses is very light.

The women will be at their post of duty until 8:00 o'clock tonight and Saturday from 8:00 a. m. until 8:00 p. m.

Slugged By Hitch-Hikers

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—Donald Martin, 26, was recovering today after being slugged by two hitch-hikers as he was walking to his home in the north part of the city last night. He said his assailants took about $25 from him. He was found in an unconscious condition by U. S. forest service employes two hours later and taken to a hospital.

Democrat Class Ads get results!

Personals

Miss Eula Burcham, of Manitou Springs, Colo., who spent the past week visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Robert Ramsey, and daughter, 1101 South Ohio avenue, left today for Springfield and will then return to her home in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamlin and children, of San Diego, Cal., are here for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Ida Hamlin, 1020 East Fifth street, and his brother, Ralph Hamlin, 1010 Crescent Drive.

Miss Madeline Marshall, 1402 South Stewart avenue, left this morning for Mattoon, Ill., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. King Hyatt, Mr. Hyatt and daughter, Carol.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed, of Kansas City, former Sedalians, spent last week end with Mrs. Reed's mother, Mrs. Alice Johnson, 2313 East Tenth street.

Pearl and Rose Ridenour of Centerview, arrived this morning for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Charles Lindsey, 312 North Grand avenue.

Arthur Anton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Anton, 2510 East Broadway, is spending the week end with his parents. Arthur is a student of Rockhurst college in Kansas City.

Charles "Buddy" Bolton, a student of C.M.S.C. at Warrensburg, is spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bolton, 400 West Fourth street.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradford, of Rochester, N. Y., will arrive Saturday from New Orleans where Dr. Bradford, a faculty member at the University of Rochester, lectured at a medical meeting. They will visit Dr. Bradford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford, Route 3, Sedalia. Mr. and Mrs. Bradford also have as their guests their daughter, Mrs. R. M. James and son, Richard, of Mansfield, who will return home Sunday. While in Missouri Dr. and Mrs. Bradford will visit Mrs. Bradford's father, F. A. Dalton and sister, Mrs. Mary Dalton Newell, and Dr. Bradford's brother, Dr. O. F. Bradford in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Woodsmall and son, Richard, of 1813 South Barrett avenue, will spend the week-end at Hale, Mo.

Mrs. Ed Walter arrived at her home, 903 South Monroe avenue, Friday, from Tucson, Ariz., where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Paul Renfro, and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Renfro, of Mesa, Ariz. She also visited in Nogales, Old Mexico.

Miss Betty Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Okee Rice, Fifth street and Lamine avenue, arrived in Sedalia to spend the week end. She is a student at Stephens college, in Columbia. Mrs. Rice drove to Columbia to bring her daughter back.

Mr. and Mrs. James Labahn, Route One, Sedalia, visited in Kansas City Thursday with Judge Ed Callis, who is in the Research hospital.

Herman Bloess, 1409 West Broadway, left for Fort Worth, Tex., to join Mrs. Bloess, who has been visiting there for the past two weeks.

Roger Englert, who attends the University of Missouri in Columbia, is spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Berry and daughter, Miss Virginia Berry, 1710 West Eleventh street.

Brothers Into Bankruptcy

ST. LOUIS, March 25—(AP)—Michael R. Marion, sentenced to five years in prison Wednesday, and his brother, William W. Marion, filed bankruptcy schedules in federal district court here yesterday.

The brothers said in the schedules they lost large sums gambling in East St. Louis and Venice, Ill., casinos. They listed debts totaling more than $40,000. Creditors instituted bankruptcy proceedings against them last Jan. 14.

Michael Marion was sentenced at Moberly, Mo., on his plea of guilty to a charge of disposing of stolen automobiles through fake titles. His brother is held in the Boone county jail at Columbia awaiting trial there on a similar charge.

Snatches Purse From Blind Woman

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—Mrs. Elizabeth Zinnerlin, 52, tapped her white cane at the curb of the busy intersection of Halsted street and Clybourn avenue.

A young man approached and offered to help the blind woman across the street. As they reached the opposite curb, Mrs. Zinnerlin told Hudson avenue police, the courteous stranger snatched her purse and fled.

The purse contained $7 and a special watch which enables Mrs. Zinnerlin to tell time, she told police.

Short Entertains Eight Joplin Youths

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—Rep. Short (R-Mo) was host at a luncheon yesterday for eight high school youths, members of the Joplin, Mo., Kiwanis "Key" club.

The boys were Pat Robertson, Richard E. Johnson, Murray Claycomb, Bruce Cofer, Bill Cearnal, Fred Cash, Bill Quigg and George Gillie. They are here for an international convention of the club.

V. F. W. Meets Monday Night

Post 5741, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will meet Monday night at 8:00 o'clock at its hall, 114½ East Third street, at which time election of officers will he held.

The business meeting will be followed by a social session.

Beer License Granted

A license was granted to Jack Alpert, to sell 3-2 beer at the premises of the Griddle, 110 East Fifth street in the County Court this afternoon, to expire April 1, 1950.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Jane Buford

Mrs. Jane Buford, aged 68 years, widow of the late Frank B. Buford, died Thursday afternoon at her home, 211 West Tenth street.

Mrs. Buford was born near Joplin, Mo., in 1881 and was married to Frank B. Buford on February 14, 1897. He died in Sedalia Feb. 14, 1947.

She had lived in this community for a period of thirteen years. Mrs. Buford was a member of the First Baptist church and also of Sedalia chapter, No. 57, Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by three sons, Elmo Buford, Boonville, Frank Buford, Kansas City, and Marvin Buford of the home, also by four grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at the Gillespie funeral home Saturday morning at 10 o'clock with the Rev. T. W. Croxton officiating.

Mrs. Miles Rhodes and Mrs. Charles Farley accompanied by Mrs. B. B. Bess will sing.

Burial will be made at Nelson, Mo.

Cleo M. Ratje Service

Funeral services for Seaman 1/c Cleo M. Ratje, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ratje of Buckner, Mo., who was killed in the Pacific near Okinawa, April 12, 1945, will be held at 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church in Smithton. Dr. W. L. Perryman of Marshall will be in charge.

The American Legion Post of Sedalia will be in charge of services at the grave.

Pallbearers will be Marshall Ray Haley, Glenn Eichorn, Paul Schlotzhauer, Eugene Schlotzhauer, Leroy Stegner and Henry Stegner.

Interment will be in the Smithton cemetery.

Seaman 1/c Ratje was born April 15, 1924 at Florence, Mo., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ratje of Buckner, Mo. He had been a resident of Pilot Grove three years before his induction into service. He was a member of the Methodist church.

He is survived by his parents, one brother, Herbert, of Buckner, one sister, Mrs. Paul Mark of Tokyo, Japan.

The body is at the Hayes-Painter funeral home in Pilot Grove.

George J. Goff Service

Funeral services for George Jake Goff, 60, of 642 East Third street, who died at his home early Wednesday morning, were held at the McLaughlin funeral chapel at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. S. K. Mabry in charge.

Pallbearers were: James Shull, H. Cook, William Toliver, S. B. Avery, C. Walker and Orvil Quigley.

Mrs. S. K. Mabry and Mrs. Evelyn Worlledge sang, "In The Garden," and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus," accompanied at the organ by Mrs. C. D. Demand.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret Corley Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Alice Corley, 85, who died early Thursday morning at her home, Route 2, Sedalia, were held at the Gillespie funeral home at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. Carl Opp in charge.

Mrs. M. O. Stevens and Mrs. Carl Opp, accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser, sang, "Precious Memories," "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be" and "In the Sweet By and By."

Pallbearers were: G. E. Allcorn, Dewey Bohon, Ernest Stevens, August Hamlett, Olliver Garrett, Ellis Garrett.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. G. G. Thedick Service

Graveside services for Mrs. G. G. Thedick, who died at her home in Yermo, Calif., after several months illness, will be held at 11:15 o'clock Saturday morning at the Calvary cemetery conducted by Father A. J. Brunswick.

The body will arrive in Sedalia at 3:20 o'clock Saturday morning and will be taken to the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

The rosary will be recited at 10:30 o'clock at the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

Pallbearers will be: Fred Brink, Frank Mehl, Nelson Hanpeter, C. E. Carroll, J. E. Coates.

Paul V. Pruess

Paul V. Pruess, 50, of Junction City, Ore., died March 20 in Portland, Ore.

Mr. Pruess was born September 8, 1898 in Smithton.

He is survived by his widow, Ruth, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Eleanor Steel, of Eugene, Ore., Miss Paula Pruess, of the home; one son, Donald, of Vancouver, Wash.; one sister, Mrs. Stella Peterson, of Walkerville, Mont., two brothers, Albert, Whitefish, Mont.; Emil, of Fargo, N. D.

Funeral services were held at the Miller-Sherman funeral home in Junction City, at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon with the Rev. A. E. Davis incharge.

Interment was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery in Junction City.

Mr. Preuss is also survived by a number of relatives of near Sedalia.

Cyrus D. Ferguson

Funeral services for Cyrus Delmar Ferguson, 58, who was burned to death Wednesday, while firing a field on his farm near Tipton, were held at the Methodist church in Tipton, at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon.

The body of Mr. Ferguson was found by his brother-in-law, Dr. Kenyon Latham of California, coroner, called the death accidental.

Surviving Mr. Ferguson are his wife and several children.

Granted A Divorce

Mrs. Grace C. Haley was granted a divorce in circuit court, Wednesday, from her husband, James J. Haley, and was also awarded the custody of three minor children.

Heart Stopped For 40 Minutes

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—Two surgeons announced today revival of a 16-year-old youth 40 minutes after his heart action stopped completely.

An American Medical Association source said he believed the instance was the longest known heart stoppage on record to be followed by successful resuscitation.

Reporting in the AMA Journal, Dr. Arthur S. Touroff and Dr. Milton H. Adelman, said the youth's heart failed during a lung operation in Mt. Sinai hospital, New York, Jan. 16, 1948.

Dr. Touroff immediately began to massage the heart with his hands. Adrenalin and blood were given to the patient. Artificial respiration was maintained with 100 per cent oxygen administered through the anesthetic apparatus.

During the long period of heart failure, the doctors said, the patient breathed in gasps at irregular intervals, but when heart massage was stopped for an instant there were only a few feeble, ineffectual contractions noticed. A strong heart beat was resumed unexpectedly.

New Evidence In Murder Case

FARMINGTON, Mo., March 25.—(AP)—An assistant prosecutor said today he believes Mrs. William C. Mahurin was smothered to death. A special grand jury is to get the case next Thursday.

Mrs. Mahurin, 46, died March 17. She had suffered severe burns, and her body was found in front of her new farm home near here. Her husband said the kitchen stove had exploded, but a state test of the stove did not bear that out, and now Mahurin has been charged with murder.

W. E. Coffer, assistant prosecuting attorney, said he believes Mrs. Mahurin was not fatally burned, but was smothered.

Coffer's chief, B. C. Tomlinson, filed the charge yesterday and asked for the special grand jury, but he would not discuss certain "new evidence."

A doctor who made a laboratory test of Mrs. Mahurin's body said he "found something" but wouldn't say what.

Tornado Kills Five Negroes

GREENVILLE, Miss., March 25.—(AP)—A tornado smacked through a plantation area late last night, killing five Negroes and injuring 20 others.

Two of the injured were reported by hospital authorities here to be in critical condition.

The big wind thundered into the Lake Jackson area first, skipped two miles across the river and hit again around Lake Washington. Eight homes were destroyed.

So remote was the stricken area from hard surface roads that teams of horses had to be used to rescue the injured and recover the dead in one instance.

News of the tornado arrived with the first victims around 3 a. m., who checked in at the Greenville City colored hospital. They said the tornado struck before midnight.

The Lake Washington area is 30 miles north of Greenville.

Donnell Slowed Senate Approval

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Senator Donnell (R-Mo) told the Senate today that leaders of European nations regard the North Atlantic pact as a moral—if not automatic — pledge by the United States to go to war if any of them are attacked.

Donnell slowed expected Senate approval of a $5,580,000,000 foreign aid authorization bill for a lengthy discussion of the defense pact. It is not yet before the Senate.

He repeated earlier demands that every senator be allowed to participate fully in both open and closed sessions of the Senate foreign relations committee on the post-war defense treaty aimed at Soviet Russia.

Woman With 217 Descendants is Dead

BENTONVILLE, Ark., March 25—(AP)— A woman with 271 descendants died at her home here yesterday. She was Mrs. Sarah Sarvila Stipp Barnes, 97.

Her survivors include eight children, 46 grandchildren, 108 great-grandchildren, 106 great-great grandchildren and three great-great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Barnes moved to Benton county, Arkansas, from her native Missouri in 1880.

Missouri Projects Included

WASHINGTON, March 25.—(AP)—A bill now before the House includes $125,000 for further planning of the Table Rock dam and reservoir and $8,000 for plans for the Carthage project in Missouri.

Rep. Short(R-Mo) said an appropriation committee had allowed nothing to start construction as was requested by a delegation from Springfield, Mo.

"I guess we were lucky to get the money for planning," Short said.

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The Markets

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 5,000; market steady to 25 cents higher both butchers and sows; most advance on uniform butchers under 270 pounds, but trade rather slow on the advance; top $21.65; part load $21.75; most good and choice 160 to 240 pounds $21.00 to $21.50; 250 to 270 pounds $20.25 to $21.00; 280 to 310 pounds $19.50 to $20.25; few 320 to 375 pounds $18.50 to $19.25; good and choice sows under 400 pounds $17.50 to $18.25; 425 to 500 pounds $16.25 to $17.25; 525 to 600 pounds $15.25 to $16.25; odd head heavier around $15.00. Good clearance.

Cattle 1,000; calves 300; slow, steady to weak; choice steers and heifers absent; medium and good steers and mixed yearlings $22.00 to $25.50; several loads good 775 to 900 pound heifers $24.00 and $24.25 most beef cows $16.75 to $20.00; odd head good cows up to $20.50; canners and cutters $15.00 to $16.50; medium and good sausage bulls $20.00 to $22.00; practical top vealers $29.00; odd choice vealers $30.00; few good 650 to 920 pound feeding steers $23.00 to $24.00.

Sheep 300; no loads offered and not enough lambs even in odd lots to make a market; few odd sales common to good natives $23.00 to $29.00; fully steady; general undertone both lambs and sheep steady with week's advance; medium to choice ewes $11.00 to $14.25.

St. Louis Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., March 25—(AP)—Hogs 7,000; weights 180 pounds up steady to 25 cents lower than Thursday's average; lighter weights fully steady to strong; sows strong to 25 cents higher; bulk good and choice 180 to 230 pound $21.00 to $21.25; top $21.50 for one load; 240 to 300 pounds $19.75 to $21.00; 140 to 170 pounds $19.50 to $21.00; 100 to 130 pounds $15.50 to $19.00; mostly $16.00 up; good sows 400 pounds down $17.75 to $18.75; over 400 pounds $15.75 to $17.25; stags $12.50 to $14.50.

Cattle 800; calves 500; prices fully steady to strong in active cleanup trade; few medium to good lightweight steers and heifers $22.50 to $24.00; common and medium cows largely $17.00 to $18.25; odd head good to $19.00 and above; canners and cutters $14.00 to $16.50; medium and good bulls $20.50 to $21.50; cutters and common bulls $17.50 to $20.00; vealers steady; good and choice $27.00 to $33.00; common and medium $21.00 to $26.00.

Sheep 200; active at fully steady prices; no top quality wooled lambs present; few merely lots $29.00 to $29.50; deck good to choice 84 pound clipped lambs $29.00; scattered sales cull to medium slaughter ewes $10.00 to $12.00.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, March 25 — (AP) — (USDA)—Cattle 300; calves 100; virtually no fed steers or heifers offered; trade on limited supply of other classes rather slow and indifferent at steady to weak prices.

Hogs 1,000; slow, steady to 25 cents lower, mostly steady with Thursday's average; top $21.50 to all; good and choice 180 to 250 pounds $21.00 to $21.50; 260 to 360 pounds $19.50 to $21.00; sows steady at $16.50 to $18.00; stags $15.50 down.

Sheep 100; not enough on sale to test values; killing classes nominally steady.

Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—(USDA)—Live poultry: steady; receipts 11 trucks; prices unchanged to 1 cent lower.

FOB: Fowl 42c; Leghorn fowl 33c to 34c; roasters 36c to 38c; fryers 33c to 35c; broilers 31c to 32c; old roosters 25c to 26c; FOB wholesale market: ducklings 40c.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, March 25 — (AP) — Butter steady; receipts 703,314; prices unchanged. 93 score AA, 59.5c; 92 A, 59.5c; easier; receipts 789,489; prices ½ cent lower: 93 score AA 59.5c; 92 A, 59.5c; Eggs firm; receipts 10,749; prices unchanged to 1 cent a dozen higher; U. S. extras 70 per cent and up A, 45c; 60 to 69.9 per cent A, 44c; U. S. standards 41c to 43.5c; current receipts 41c; dirties 38.5c; checks 38.

St Louis Produce and Poultry

ST. LOUIS, March 25—(AP)—Produce and live poultry:

Eggs: Extras 43c to 45c; standards 41c to 43c; current receipts 39c to 39½c; underweights 35c to 37c.

Butter: 92 score 59½c to 61c; 90 score 58½c. 89 score 58c.

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Butterfat: No. 1 55c per pound in country stations; No. 2 three cents less.

Cheese: Twins 32¼c; cheddars 34½c; flats 32¾c; singles 32¾c; daisies 34½c; longhorns 34½c; process (5 pound loaf) 33½c; nearby cheese one cent less. 59½c; 89 score 58½c.

Poultry: Fowl, heavy breeds 36c; Leghorn 31c; commercial fryers broilers and roasters, whites 32½c to 33½c; greys 33c; reds 33c; nearby farm raised fryers, broilers and roasters, whites 32c; colored 31c; whites 2 pounds and under 30c; colored 2 pounds and under 29c; barebacks 20c; No. 2 springs 15c; roosters, old cocks 22½c to 23c; stags 25c; ducks, young 40c; old 30c; muscovy 25c; geese 30c, capons 7 pounds and up 55c small 50c; slips 45c; turkeys, young hens 32c; young toms 45c; old hens 45c; old toms 36c; No. 2 turkeys 12c to 18c.

Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, March 25—(AP)—Produce:

Eggs: Extras 43c to 45c; standards 40c to 41c; current receipts 40c.

Butter: Grade A, pounds in cartons 65.5c; grade A pounds in cartons 66c. Butterfat: 53c to 56c.

Chicago Grain Futurrs

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—

	High	Low	Close Fri.	Close Thurs.
WHEAT—				
Mar	2.16⅛	2.13⅝	2.15⅛	2.14¼
July	1.92	1.90	1.91⅞	1.90⅛
Sept	1.91⅛	1.89⅛	1.91¼	1.89⅞
Dec	1.92¼	1.90⅛	1.92¼	1.90⅛
CORN—				
May	1.33⅛	1.31⅝	1.33	1.31⅞
July	1.32⅛	1.31	1.31⅞	1.31¼
Sept	1.25¼	1.24¼	1.25	1.24⅛
Dec	1.14¼	1.13¼	1.14	1.13⅛
OATS—				
May	.69⅛	.68⅛	.69	.68⅝
July	.63⅜	.62⅛	.63¼	.62⅜
Sept	.62⅜	.61⅝	.62⅝	.61⅜
Dec	.63⅛	.62⅛	.63⅛	.62⅝
RYE—				
May	1.28⅝	1.27⅛	1.28⅝	1.27⅝
July	1.27	1.26¼	1.27	1.26⅛
SOYBEANS—				
May	2.14⅛	2.11⅛	2.14¼	2.13⅛
July	2.08⅜	2.05⅛	2.08⅜	2.07⅝

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, March 25—(AP)—Wheat: No. 4 red tough $2.24½.

Corn: No. 2 yellow $1.38; No. 3 yellow $1.34¼ to $1.37; No. 4 yellow $1.28½ to $1.30; No. 5 yellow $1.22¾ to $1.26½.

Oats: No. 1 heavy mixed 74¼c to 75¾c; sample grade heavy mixed 71½c; No. 1 heavy white 75½c to 77c; No. 2 heavy white 77¾c; sample grade heavy white 72¾c.

Barley malting $1.08 to $1.42 nominal; feed 86c to $1.12 nominal.

Field seed per hundredweight nominal: sweet clover $15.00 to $16.00; timothy $16.50 to $17.00.

St. Louis Cash Grain

ST. LOUIS, March 25—(AP)—Cash grain: Wheat: Two cars, none sold.

Corn: 43 cars, sold six; No. 3 yellow $1.36 to $1.39½; No. 4 yellow $1.33½ to $1.35½; No. 5 yellow $1.27¼.

Oats: Three cars, sold none.

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, March 25—(AP)—Wheat: 122 cars; 1 cent lower to 2½ cents higher; No. 2 hard and dark hard $2.20 to $2.27; No. 3, $2.23 to $2.27; No. 2 red $2.23¼ to $2.30 nominal; No. 3, $2.23¼ to $2.29 nominal.

Corn: 23 cars unchanged to 1½ cent higher; No. 2 white $1.40¾; No. 3, $1.38½ to $1.50; No. 2 yellow $1.39½ to $1.40¾; No. 3, $1.38½.

Oats: 12 cars; ½ to 1 cent higher; No. 2 white 79c No. 3, 76c to 78½c nominal.

Milo maize $2.36 to $2.37.

Kafir $2.29 to $2.35.

Rye $1.30 to $1.34.

Barley $1.16.

Found Guilty in Gambling Case

CARTHAGE, Mo., March 25—(AP)—Two men arrested after a raid on the Carthage Athletic club today were found guilty in police court of keeping gambling equipment.

They were fined $150 each and costs, but immediately posted bond for an appeal to circuit court.

The defendants, Les Ulmer, Webb City, and Carl Epperson, Sarthage, were freed last Wednesday after a hearing in magistrate court on a state charge of setting up gambling equipment. Magistrate Nelson B. Evans held that evidence submitted by the state was insufficient to convict.

A hearing will be held in circuit court next Wednesday to determine if equipment seized in the raid should be destroyed.

Moves Insurance Office

The Watts Insurance Agency has recently moved in the same office with the C. W. Stephenson Real Estate Agency, located in the 100 block on East Fifth street.

J. W. Watts recently purchased the insurance agency which was acquired by Stephenson.

Leading Stocks At Close

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
American and For Power	1⅞	—
American Smelt and R.	48	48¼
American Tel and Tel.	148⅝	148⅝
American Tobacco B	68	67⅝
Anacond	31½	31⅝
Atchison, T. and S. F.	92⅜	93⅛
Atlas Power	21½	20⅛
Aviation Corp.	6⅝	6⅝
Bethlehem Steel	31⅝	31⅛
Chrysler Corp.	53⅝	53⅛
Coca-Cola	136	136⅝
Curtis-Wright	9⅛	9⅛
Curtis-Wright A	21⅜	21⅛
Du Pont De Nu	167	167
Eastman Kodak	45⅝	46⅛
General Electric	30	27⅝
General Foods	48	48⅛
General Motors	59⅛	59⅝
International Harvester	24⅝	23⅝
International Shoe	—	48⅝
International Tel and Tel	9⅛	9⅛
Johns-Manville	37	37
Kennecott Corp.	46⅝	46⅝
Libby, McN and L.	8⅛	8
Liggett and Meyers B	83⅝	83½
Mid-Cont Petroleum	43⅛	43⅝
Missouri-Kansas Texas	4¼	4⅛
Montgomery Ward	56⅝	57
Nash-Kelvinator	13⅝	13⅝
National Cash Register	—	34⅝
North American Co.	17⅝	17⅝
Packard Motors	3⅝	4
Pepsi-Cola	10⅝	10⅝
Phillips Petroleum	59⅝	59⅛
Purity Baking	27	27
Radio Corp of America	12⅝	13⅛
Reynolds Tobacco B	36⅝	36⅝
Sears Roebuck	37	37⅛
Skelly Oil	11⅝	11⅜
Southern Calif. Edison	30⅝	30
Standard Oil Indiana	40⅝	40
Studebaker Corporation	13⅝	13⅛
Swift and Co.	30⅝	30⅛
U S Steel	73⅛	73⅝

Leaders on the Curb

	Close Thurs.	Close Fri.
American Light and T.	23⅛	23⅝
Arkansas Nat. Gas	7⅛	7⅛
Cessna Aircraft	—	—
Cities Service	45⅜	45
El Bond and Sh.	15⅝	15⅛
Ford Motor Canada A	—	18⅝
Ford Motor Ltd.	4⅛	—
Humble Oil	73⅛	73⅜
National Seiles Stan	2	2
Piper Aircraft	2	—
Southern Royal	—	—
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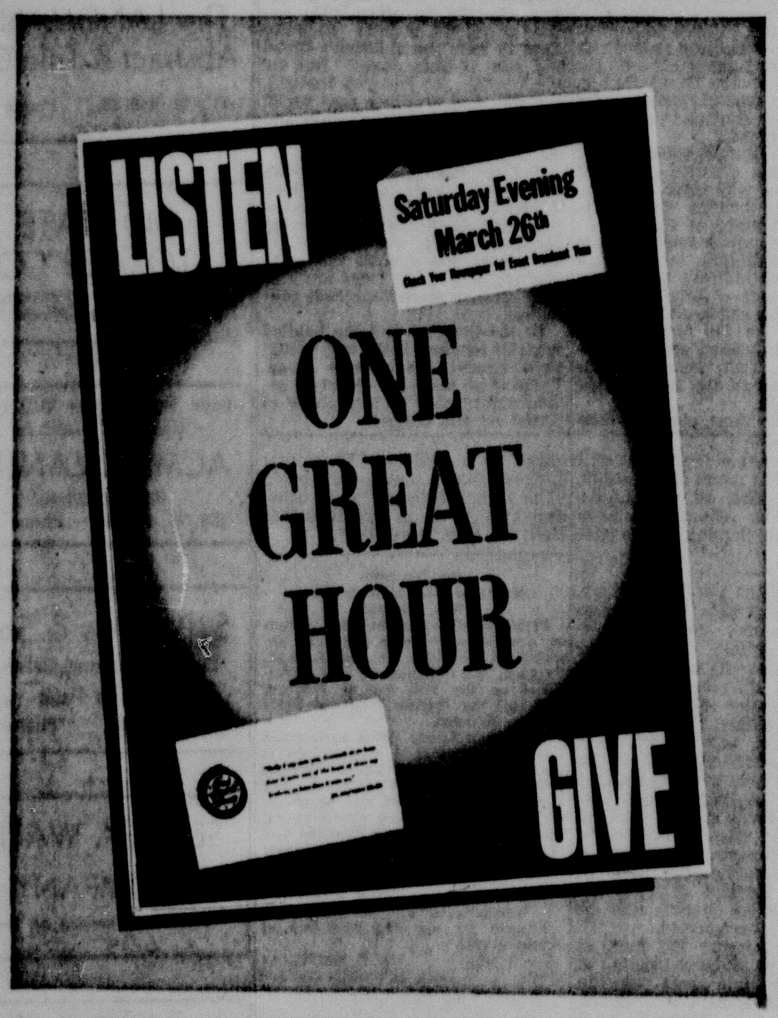

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...then let nothing keep you from attending the regular Services of your own church on Sunday – March 27th

THIS IS YOUR special invitation to share in the wonderful listening pleasure and inspiration which the radio program "One Great Hour" will bring to all America on Saturday evening, March 26th. But far more important is the fact that it is an equally urgent invitation for you to attend church on Sunday, March 27th, to help meet a challenge which cannot—which must not—be overlooked.

For it is through "One Great Hour" that men, women, and children of goodwill throughout this nation are called upon to help demonstrate to the world the tremendous power for good that is generated when all churches unite in one great common cause.

Yes, this is a stirring call to all of us to attend church on Sunday following the broadcast and prove through our contributions that the spirit of Christianity is a mighty force in bringing new material strength, new spiritual strength, and most of all, new hope to those who need it so desperately overseas.

Never before in history have so many different religious denominations and communions joined together in one great effort for one great cause. Up to now each denomination has developed its own campaign to send help—both material and spiritual—for distribution through churches overseas. In "One Great Hour" all of these campaigns are brought together in one supreme single effort.

It should be clearly understood that all contributions to "One Great Hour" are made directly to the churches here in America and distributed through churches and church organizations overseas. The urgent need for funds for the many works of the churches overseas are not lessened by large scale and essential government spending projects such as the European Recovery Program. No amount of impersonal government spending, can take the place of the gifts which, being given in the name of Christ through the church, recognize the significance and dignity of the individual human being.

What are the desperate needs that are met so economically and efficiently through churches overseas? The answer to that question is found in part in the pictures and stories at the bottom of this page. But, in addition to these important works there are also material needs which must be met through the churches. Despite good harvests and improved conditions in many parts of the world there are still vast numbers of men, women and children in Europe and Asia right now who are barely existing on near-starvation diets ... wearing tattered odds and ends of clothing. Many of these people may die of starvation or disease ... many may die as a result of cold and exposure added to malnutrition ... unless they are helped quickly through the churches.

Food, clothing and medical supplies sent to war-devastated nations through church channels are distributed to the neediest in each community by local churches and church agencies. Whenever possible—children, young mothers and the sick receive special attention. These distribution methods make use of facilities now in existence and operate without profit or prejudice. They are efficient, economical and, most important of all, speedy.

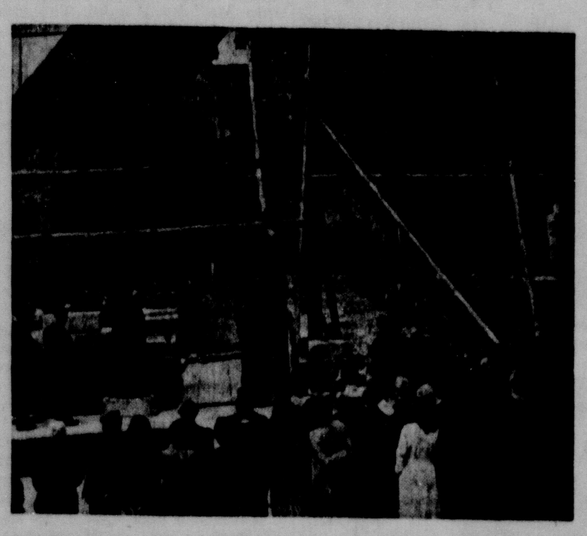
All of the vitally important works of the churches overseas must be maintained and strengthened. And to do this *every member of every church* must bear his share of this responsibility to humanity ... and bear it proudly in the spirit of Him who said: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Remember, *you* are the church in America — your response to these great appeals will help prove to all the world that it is only in God—and through worship of Him in the churches of America and overseas—that there lies any real hope of a stronger and happier world ... world of blessed peace and human dignity.

LISTEN and GIVE! *Here are some of the reasons why your contributions to One Great Hour are so urgently needed...*

To Restore Christian Hope and Human Dignity to a Confused and Suffering World

Your contributions to ONE GREAT HOUR mean far more than their dollar-and-cents value. They bring a Christian hope to the war-scarred men, women and children of Europe and Asia. They tell them that someone in the world really cares what happens. The food and clothing we send overseas will keep the people alive, but without spiritual nourishment, people are lost. By rebuilding their morale, we can strengthen their desire to share once again the responsibilities of world citizenship. For only when all men can hold their heads high will the world be truly on the road to peace. The way lies open. And the world awaits our response.



To Replace, Repair, Re-equip Churches, Hospitals, Schools and Other Christian Institutions

There can be no true recovery from war until people regain their dignity as human beings. Food, clothing and material aids are of little use unless people have the desire and will to live. We can help them by helping to provide churches, homes for orphans and the aged, hospitals for the crippled and sick. Today, in Europe and Asia, the churches are not only houses of worship, but are also centers for fellowship, for varied ministries of material and spiritual help. But without our generous assistance, the people, with their depleted local resources, cannot reestablish these lighthouses of love in the midst of a sea of human misery.

To Strengthen and Expand the Vital Work of the Christian Ministry

The pastoral leaders were not spared the ravages of war. Many were killed, wounded, taken prisoner or forced into exile with other displaced persons. Theological schools were destroyed. Libraries were destroyed and faculties scattered. In the six years of war, several generations of spiritual leaders were lost to the churches. A strong ministry is needed to help rebuild Christian lives. It is our responsibility to help build this strong ministry—to supply religious literature of many kinds, to replenish libraries, to help re-establish services and to provide means of transportation to help pastoral leaders and lay-workers with far-flung responsibilities.

To Render Aid to Desperately Needy Refugees and Displaced Persons

Until all the homeless people have countries they can call their own, there will be no real peace in the world. In the meantime, they will look to us in more favored lands to help them. Homeless must not mean forgotten. In Germany, Italy, China and Palestine the churches of America have stayed with these refugees and displaced persons. They have been ministered to in body and soul. Because many of these people are our Christian brothers, the churches, with your help, will continue a vital ministry among them, help them to find homes and help to bring as many of them as possible to this country to begin life anew.

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CALVARY EPISCOPAL, Broadway at Ohio. Rev. W. L. Botkin, rector. Lent IV: 8:00 a. m. Holy Eucharist; 9:45 a. m. church school, Charles Hanna, superintendent. 11:00 a. m. Martins and sermon: "The Bread of Life." Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Evening devotions and Lenten meditation. Thursday 10:00 a. m. Holy Eucharist and Lenten Lifts to Life.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST, Fifth and Osage streets. H .U. Campbell, D. D., minister. Church school 9:30 a. m. Missionary day with all of the offering going to missions. Morning worship 10:30. Mrs. Mae Moser, organist, will play: "He Shall Feed His Flock" by Handel and "My Task" by Ashford. Anthem by the choir directed by Miss Geraldine Teufel. Vocal solo by Miss Josephine Wadleigh. Sermon by Rev. E. W. Bartley, district superintendent. Official Board and quarterly conference Monday evening 7:30. United mid-week Lenter services at the Congregational-Presbyterian church, Wednesday, March 30 at 7:30 p. m. with Rev. E. W. Bartley, preaching.

CALVARY BAPTIST, Broadway and Moniteau. H. L. Alley, pastor. Departmental Bible school 9:30 a. m. B. B. Bradley, superintendent; Ralph Reed(associate. Morning worship 10:45. Sermon by the pastor. Associational Training Union rally Sunday afternoon 2:30 with the Olive Branch church. B. T. U. 6:15 p. m. Mrs. E. H. Schumaker, director; Mrs. E. E. Swafford, associate. Evening worship 7:30. Sermon by the pastor. Training Union Officers Council Monday evening 7:30 with the executive committee meeting 7:15. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30; choir practice 8:30. W. M. U. quarterly business meeting Thursday evening 7:30. This evening closes the Training Union study course which has been in session this week with Mrs. B. B. Bradley teaching the adults; Mrs. E. E. Swafford the intermediates; Mrs. Ruth Dangston the juniors and B. B. Bradley the young people. Plans are being made for the revival meeting which is to begin Easter Sunday.

WOODWILL CIRCUIT, METHODIST: Rev. Carl Opp, pastor. Goodwill chapel, March 27: Church school 10:00 a. m. Divine worship 11:00 a. m. Sermon, choir, children's talk. Youth Fellowship 7:30 p. m. Divine worship 8:00 p. m. Sermon, choir. Church school sessions will also be held at the following points on March 27 at 10:00 a. m.: Pleasant Hill, Dresden and New Bethel.

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth and Osage. J. F. King, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Glenn Stewart, superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon subject: "The Continuity of Faith." Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:00 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30. Sermon subject: "Christ's Welcome to Sinners."

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN, Broadway and Kentucky. Rev. D. Warren Neal, minister. Gordon Callis, Sunday school, superintendent; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, choir director; Miss Dorothy Ann Reed, organist. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Service of worship, 10:45 a. m. Sermon: "Nice Little People." Anthems: "Seek Ye the Lord" Roberts, "O, For a Closer Walk With God" Anderson. Sunday night Lenten sermon, "Simon, the Syrenian," at 7:30. A sacrificial meal will be served in the Service building immediately after Sunday morning church services. Westminster Youth Fellowship, Sunday night 6:30. Sunday school teachers and officers will meet at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, March 29, in the Service building. Junior High Youth Fellowship meeting, Friday 4:00 p. m. Communion service will be held on Palm Sunday and on the night of Maundy Thursday. New members will be received around Easter time.

FIRST CHRISTIAN, Seventh Massachusetts. Rev. L. Ward McCreary, guest minister; Mrs. H. O. Foraker, organist, director. Bible school 9:30. Virgil Herrick, superintendent. Morning worship and communion 10:40. Subject of sermon: "Finding My Brother." James Dittmer will be the soloist, singing, "My Task" Ashford. The anthem, "If Christ Should Come." Mrs. Shelby Hunter and Mrs. Keith Zahringer in the solo parts.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD, Sixth and Emmett street. Rev. Colbert Martin, pastor Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Evangelistic service 7:45 p. m. Our services Wednesday night 7:45 p. m. are P. Y. P. A. or young people's service.

HOSTONIA METHODIST: Sunday school 10:00 o'clock. Walter Werneke, superintendent. Church services 11:00 o'clock. Irwin Raut, lay pastor.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENCE, Sixth street and Lamine avenue. Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m. for persons under the age of 20. Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock. "Reality" is the subject of the lesson sermon. Golden text: Philippians 4:8, "Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lively, whatsoever things are of good report; If there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things." Wednesday evening testimonial meetings at 8:00 o'clock. The reading room is located at the same building. Entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2 to 4 except Sundays and holidays. Also after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible and the writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at the room. The public is welcome to attend all of our services and to enjoy the privileges of our reading room.

FIRST BAPTIST, Sixth and Lamine streets. Thomas W. Croxton, pastor; E. Norman Webb, assistant pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. W. L. Reed, superintendent. Departments and classes for all ages. Morning worship 10:45 with preaching by the pastor on the subject, "The Great Objective." Special music by the Chancel choir led by E. Norman Webb with Mrs. Clyde Williams at the organ. Training Union 6:15 p. m. William A. Morgan, general director. Departments for all ages Evening worship 7:30 with preaching by the pastor on the subject: "The Closed Door." The service will be followed by the ordinance of baptism performed by Rev. John B. Rollins.

FIRST BAPTIST CHAPEL, Sixteenth and Hancock streets. Donald Momberg, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Clyde Williams, superintendent. Departments for all ages. Morning worship 10:45 with preaching by the pastor. Training Union 6:30 p. m. Palmer Nichols, general director. Departments for all ages. Evening worship 7:30 with preaching by the pastor. Mid-week worship Thursday evening at 7:30.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod) Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Rev. Walter F. Strickert, pastor; Miss Mildred Brackmann, organist. William Bergmann, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:15 a. m. Divine service with celebration of Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m. The pastor's sermon topic will be: "Let's Face Realities." The fifth mid-week Lenten service will be held next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST, 1019 East Fifth. Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor. Sunday school 9:30. Clyde L. Waters, superintendent. Morning worship service 10:30. Pastor's theme: "The Five R's of Real Repentance." Associational Training Union meeting at Olive Branch Baptist church at 2:30 p. m. Cars will leave East Sedalia Baptist church at 2 o'clock sharp. Training Union 6:15. Orville H. Lampton, director. Evening service 7:30. Pastor's theme, "The Doom of the Unrepentant." Singspiration 9:15 at the church. Monday 6:30 p. m. Sunday school cabinet meeting and supper. Tuesday, 9:30 a. m. all 1949 Vacation Bible school workers meeting at the church; 7:15 p. m. Training Union Executive committee; 7:45 p. m. Training Union business and program planning meeting. Wednesday 6:30 p. m. Junior R. A's meet at the church; 6:45 youth choir practice; 7:30 prayer meeting; 8:30 adult choir practice. Friday, 6:30 p. m. the Sedalia division of the Business Women's Circle Federation will meet at this church with contributive covered dish lunch, followed by program with inspirational speaker.

PACIFIC HEIGHTS BAPTIST MISSION, 2219 East Broadway. Rev. William C. Smith, pastor. Sunday school 9:30. Mrs. Bert Farley, superintendent. Morning worship service 10:30. Training Union 6:15. Cecil Smith, director. Evening service 7:30. Friday 7:45 p. m. prayer meeting.

EPWORTH METHODIST, Broadway at Engineer street. Ralph Hurd, the minister, Church school at 9:30. O. R. Cox, general superintendent. The minister is teaching a membership training class at the study period, giving general instruction for church membership. At the adult assembly Miss Suzanne Holst will play a piano solo. Morning worship at 10:30. Miss Joan Harrell will be at the organ. The minister's sermon theme, "Weather-wise But Time-foolish." Youth Fellowship at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30, Miss Joan Harrell at the organ. The minister will bring the evening message. Thursday evening at 7:30, our mid-week service.

"By humility and the fear of the Lord are riches, and honour, and life."—(Proverbs 22:4).

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Service of Worship 10:45 a. m.
Westminster Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m.

Broadway Presbyterian Church
Broadway Avenue at Kentucky

Gluttony

Lent is always a good time to talk about gluttony. The Bible speaks of those "whose god is their belly and whose glory is their shame." Gluttony is one of the cardinal vices It is one of the sins to which even the most morally delinquent would be ashamed to plead guilty.

The word gluttony has an ugly, almost obscene sound. It brings to bind a drunkard lying inert and senseless in the gutter. It recalls the pagans of ancient Rome who gorged themselves at rich banquets, and when stomachs could hold no more, sought relief—and room for more food—by enforced vomiting.

Gluttony will destroy the soul if allowed to assume extreme proportions. Fortunately, only a comparatively few individuals seem to be subject to its grosser temptations. On the other hand, many persons are thwarted in their quest for higher spiritual achievement by their susceptibility to what may be called the "lesser" gluttonies.

Who has not known the gluttons for admiration and flattery—the girl at the party who craves more than her fair share of attention, the boy on the playing field who wants to hog the spotlight? Or the fashion-mad woman with an insatiable yearning for new clothes? Or the ambitious politician whose secret vice is the lust for power and influence?

Gluttony is the rejection of moderation for complete and utter abandonment to selfish appetites or desires. History attests to the incalculable cost in human life and suffering entailed by the demands of master-gluttons. What is not written on history's records is the secret toll taken by gluttony in the souls of even the lesser-gluttons.

Lent is the season when we should analyze our weaknesses and begin to cultivate new habits of temperance and higher-plane living. If gluttony has taken root in us, this is the time for resorting to prayer and self-mortification. Otherwise, some day the appetites we let grow unchecked may devour us entirely, mind, body and soul.

Go To Church This Sunday

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CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, Seventeenth and Harrison E S Brummet pastor Sunday school 10:00 a m Morning service 11:00. Evening service 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"REALITY" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, March 27, 1949.

Golden Text: Phil. 4:8.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For the word of the Lord is right; and all his works are done in truth. He loveth righteousness and judgment: the earth is full of the goodness of the Lord." (Ps. 33:4, 5) The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The spiritual reality is the scientific fact in all things. The spiritual fact, repeated in the action of man and the whole universe, is harmonious and is the ideal of Truth." (p. 207)

FREE METHODIST — 13th and Marvin. Rev. Jesse A. Himes. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Young peoples service 7 p. m. Evening worship 7:45 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

ST PATRICK'S, Fourth and Washington Father T J Nolan, pastor Sunday masses 6:00, 8:00 and 10:00 a m Holy Day masses 6:00, 7:30 and 9:00 a. m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST Eleventh and Lafayette. Services every Saturday morning Sabbath school at 9:45 and church at 11

SACRED HEART, Third street and Moniteau avenue. Father A J Brunswick, pastor Sunday masses 6:00, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a m. Weekly masses 6:15 and 7:30 a. m.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS: 517 South Lafayette Sunday school 10 a. m. Missionary meet 7 p m Sacrament and preaching 7:30 p m. K. B. Rowlette, branch president.

EAST BROADWAY CHRISTIAN, 1220 East Broadway. Rev. J. W. Watts, pastor; W. H. Swift, superintendent of Bible school; Miss Catherine Garman, pianist. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship and communion 10:45. Subject of lesson, "Magnificent Reminders." Sunday afternoon the junior choir will practice at 3 p. m. On Sunday evening at 7:30 there will be a service at the church. Colored picture films will be shown. The name of the study, "The Institution of the Lord's Supper." The choirs will have special music. Sermon by the pastor.

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (ULCA) Tenth street at Osage avenue. Rev. C. Arthur Freeberg, pastor; Mrs. Elmer Fingland, organist; Leonard Englund, choir director; Elmer E. Sterling, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school classes will meet at 9:30 a. m. with classes for every age group. The worship service will be held at 10:45 a. m. A special feature of this service will be the showing of the sound film, "Answer For Anne" which portrays the work of the church in aiding the people of Europe. A special offering for Lutheran World Action will be received at this service.

The Luther League will meet at the church on Sunday evening at 7:30. Lenten mid-week worship services will be held Wednesday, March 30 at 8 p. m. The pastor's sermon topic will be, "With Jeus in the High Priest's Palace."

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth and Vermont streets. William C. Bessmer, pastor; Mrs. A. R. Beach, director of music; Miss Lillian J. Fox, organist; Lloyd Satterwhite, superintendent of church school. Sunday, March 27: Church school classes for all ages 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:35 a. m. Sermon: "Jesus and the Present Day." Mrs. A. H. Bratten will sing, "Come Unto Me," by Handel. The choir will sing, "Beneath the Cross of Jesus," by Thompson. The Youth Fellowship will meet at 7:30 p. m. The builders class meets Monday at the church wil contributive supper at 7:00 p. m. Midweek Lenten service will be held Wednesday 7:45 p. m. Theme: "The Drama of the Cross."

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Fourteenth street and Stewart avenue. Services Lord's day morning beginning at 10:30. Bible lesson: 5th chapter I John. Communion. Evening service at 7:30. Lesson for the evening service is in Genesis beginning with Chapter 15. There will be communion at the evening service for those unable to attend morning worship.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST of Latter Day Saints, Ninth and Montgomery streets. Elder Roe B. Vincent, pastor.Church school 9:45 a. m. Nelson Pugh in charge. Morning sermon 11:00 a. m. Elder Nelson Puge. Zion's League 7:30 p. m., March 28, at 1511 West Main street, Young adults 7:30 p. m. at LeRoy Hancock's.

FEDERATED CONGREGATIONAL-PRESBYTERIAN, Sixth street and Osage avenue. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Mrs. W. C. Housel, superintendent. Church service at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Dow G. Pinkston of Missouri Valley college will give the sermon. Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist and choir director.

Study Class

Jehovah's Witnesses will hold a meeting to study the Watch Tower subject: "The Comfort For the Displaced People" Isaiah 40:1. Followed by a study of "Theocratic Judges," taken from the book, "The Kingdom is at Hand." Sunday 2:00 p. m. at the Kinkdom Hall, 721 East Third street.

RELIGIOUS REMARKABLES - - - By Scheel

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Sunday School Lesson

Jesus Knew no Religious Prejudice

By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

One of the most amazing and revolting incidents of our time is the spectacle of certain people preaching and practicing racial and religious prejudice in the name of Christ. And much of this prejudice has been directed against Jews, of which religion was Jesus himself, and from whom we received, not only the riches of the Old Testament, but the records of the New, and the church itself.

When Paul spoke of the Gospel of Christ, he emphasized its universality. His mission and ministry, he insisted, were to Gentiles as well as to those of his own religion, both to the Greek and to the Jew. It was his boast of the Gospel that it had power to change any man.

Was Paul in this a true interpreter of his Master? Or did Jesus in any way limit His mission, or the benefit and privileges of the grace of God?

There are one or two incidents that viewed lightly, or thoughtlessly, might indicate that; But the whole story of Jesus, the revelation of His spirit, and the general records of the four Gospels, are so much against any such interpretation, that these incidents must be seen in the light of the full evidence.

One of the most puzzling incidents, if we read the record without insight and imagination, is that of Jesus and the Syrophenician woman, in Mark 25-30. This troubled Grecian woman had brought her demented daughter to Jesus, beseeching Him to heal her. Jesus had retired to a house, hoping for privacy and rest, but the woman heard of His being there an dwas persistent in her effort to see Him.

Her importunity must have impressed Him, but evidently to test her faith He put in her way stumbling blocks that seemed harsh, and even cruel. Voicing the common religious and racial prejudice. He said, in effect, "Do you ask this of Me, a Jew? It is not meet to take the children's bread and give it unto dogs." But He was voicing, not His own thought, but the sort of thing that racial and religious prejudice thinks and says, for He was about to bless the woman and her daughter.

Had we been there, we would undoubtedly have seen the look in His eye and observed the manner that belied the seeming harshness of His words. And He drew from the woman the reply that pleased Him. Dogs must be fed. Human need transcends prejudices.

So the incident and the healing actually rebuked those who would have turned the woman away. There is no place for racial or religious prejudice in any phase of Christ or His Gospel.

Number 9938
Notice of Administrator With Will Annexed

Notice is hereby given, That Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, on the Estate of Fred E. Rush, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of February 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 28th day of February 1949.
D. S. LAMM,
Administrator With Will Annexed.
Attested by me this 28th day of February 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

IN THE PROBATE COURT

Be it remembered, that on Friday, March 11th, 1949, the same being the eighteenth day of the regular February Term, thereof, of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court, and entered of record, to-wit:

STATE OF MISSOURI)
(SS.
COUNTY OF PETTIS)

Order of Publication
Number 9932

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Riley, deceased.
Kurman W. Riley, Administrator.

Kurman W. Riley, Administrator of the estate of Henry Riley, deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

The North West Quarter (¼) of the North East Quarter (¼) of Section Thirty Three (33) Township Forty Five (45) Range Twenty (20) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, being in the County of Pettis and the State of Missouri

as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such case.

On Examination Whereof, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that appublican as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, April 19th, 1949, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts: and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis County, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.
(Seal) J. E. SMITH,
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.
Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
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The Daily Washington Merry-go-Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, March 25—The Army and Navy are going to have some real surprises when Louis Johnson takes over as secretary of national defense. He really means business when it comes to scaling off the century-old crust of Army-Navy rivalry and making all three services act as if they were serving under the same flag.

No definite decision has been made as yet, but one thing in the back of Johnson's mind is to ask Congress to abolish Annapolis and West Point as traditional training schools for the Army and Navy.

Johnson has already been talking the matter over with some of his intimate advisers and here are some of the points they have placed before him:

1. Real rivalry between the Army and Navy comes from the Annapolis-West Pointers at the top. It doesn't come from the younger officers below, and particularly isn't carried on by the reserve officers who haven't been exposed to four years of intensive Annapolis-West Point tradition.

2. Other professional men, such as doctors and lawyers, take four years at any accredited college, then specialize at a professional school.

3. Therefore, it's proposed to use Annapolis and West Point as normal training schools for all officers, mixing up the future commanders of the army, navy and air force. Not until they have rubbed shoulders and got acquainted for two or three years at West Point or Annapolis would they decide their ultimate branch of the service. After this preliminary, nonspecialized training they would specialize at a separate school to become either air force or navy or army officers.

Johnsons advisers point out that the old-school-tie tradition is strong among all Annapolis and West Point grads. Classmates stick together and their prejudices stick with them years afterward. But if army, navy, air force officers have all trained together in the same class, they will work together much more cooperatively, even though they later join rival branches of the service.

Note — A committee of noted educators under some distinguished scholastic figure, such as President James Conant of Harvard, would study the matter first and recommend the best solution to the secretary of national defense.

Civil Rights Again

Highlight of President Truman's private meeting with congressional leaders immediately following his return from ey West was a decision to make another try for enactment of the civil rights program.

Senate majority leader Scott Lucas intends to press for a roll call vote not only on antilynching and poll-tax repeal, but on the hotly controversial fair employment-practices program, the chief target of Dixie filibusterers.

However, the Senate decks will be cleared first of other major bills, including a new labor law, social-security extension, public-housing and minimum wage legislation — all road blocked by the recent talkathon.

"Of course, I still think that's the way it should have been handled in the first place," remarked Lucas, who was never enthusiastic about the White House strategy of an early showdown on civil rights.

Truman, tanned and healthy, grinned and said that he, also, had no intention of abandoning civil rights legislation.

Lucas observed that Republican senators who joined with southern Democrats in the recent filibuster already are beginning to feel the backlash of public opinion from their states.

Mail Bag

Senator Clyde Hoey of North Carolina — Apologies for getting the wrong Mrs. Ernest Howard with whom you were photographed the other day; and glad to know that th lady in the photograph was not the Mrs. Ernest Howard, wife of the RFC official, whom your committee is investigating. . . . Walter Winchell, New York — The Hooper survey people are laying off some of their operators. What is this going to do to your rating? . . . Grover Whalen, Delray, Fla. — Gov. Fuller Warren of Florida once joined the Ku Klux Klan, but he was wise enough to recognize his error and get out almost immediately, and big enough to admit recently that he made a mistake. . . . E. A. Stephens, New Orleans —It was a definite fact that the Key West pictures made of the president from a navy blimp were OK'd in advance bothby the navy and one of the president's top secretaries, William Hassett. Later, another presidential secretary, Charlie Ross, reversed Hassett and the navy. . . .

Arthur Goldberg, counsel for the CIO, Washington, D. C. — Senator Taft has agreed to more than twenty changes in the Taft-Hartley act. They have been worked out privately by Republican members of the senate labor committee.

Merry-Go-Round

The French are dead set against letting Field Marshal Montgomery continue as military commander under the North Atlantic pact. He is too dictatorial, too temperamental and too much a prima donna. Only Eisenhower could get along with him during the war. So the French urge that an American general take over and they would not be averse to Gen. Al Wedemeyer, chief of the American war plans. . . . The National Association of Real Estate Boards raised $37,853 for its lobby against the rent-control bill. The lobby likes to claim that the big landlords aren't their main supporters, but one-fourth of this kitty came from only twenty big realtor groups. . . . Maj. Gen. Alden Waitt, a good chemical corps commander, is a passionate devotee of cleanliness. He has been hounding the army to install a new bathroom, shower and kitchenette in his headquarters, and has now finally got them — with air conditioning and soundproofing to boot. . . . If the USA could collect all the money the Dutch rubber cartel squeezed out of us in exorbitant prices charged before Pearl Harbor, this would finance our ECA aid to Holland) which the state department insists on) ten times over.

America's Dr. Jekyll And Mr. Hyde

Forrestal to Return In an Emergency

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Pres. Truman said Wednesday Retiring Secretary of Defense Forrestal promised to return to government service in case of an emergency.

Forrestal will be succeeded by Louis Johnson next week.

Mr. Truman said Forrestal served his country at "tremendous sacrifice" and has sought to retire for some time. The President said he finally accepted the resignation for Forrestal's "own welfare."

He praised the defense secretary's "great public record."

Mail-Opener Adds Suit to Suit Males

Burlesque was wrong: "Put-'em-on" technique, not "take-'em-off," made this mail opener a male eye-opener.

LOS ANGELES, Calif —NEA— A mail-opener that is a male eye-opener has convinced a plastics novelty company here that the "take 'em off" psychology of burlesque is all wrong.

Months ago the company started manufacturing letter openers in the form of shapely maidens, eight inches high and all beautifully curved transparent plastic. Clothing was considered superfluous at first.

The figurines didn't sell. Maybe men feared the scorn of the "little woman" should she happen to drop into the office.

They decided to dress up the model a little. A frosting process gave her panties and bra. Sales figures picked up, but only a fraction.

Then the experts went into another huddle. The gal appeared with a cloth bathing suit molded to her figure. That did it. Sales rocketed. The "put 'em on" technique had succeeded. The company is now diverting its entire production to the openers.

Old Orchard Returns

OLD ORCHARD, Me.—(AP)—The July 25-30 week of grand circuit racing at the Kite Track here will mark the return of major league harness racing to the oval for the first time since 1946. Some $60,000 in early closing events are scheduled for the week of competition, including a $5,000 event for two-year-old trotters.

The motor nerves of insects and spiders are on the underside, along the spinal column as are those of higher creatures.

How to Spend Leisure Time

Mrs. Lester Robertson, assisted by her daughter, Ilene, was hostess to the Van Natta Extension club at the March meeting.

At noon a contributive luncheon was served.

Mrs. R. D. Brown presided over the business meeting which was opened by singing, "Song of Peace." Fourteen members answered roll call to, "What I Do When I Do As I Please." Mrs. Wes Harding, food leader, gave a lecture on foods and also a recipe for Oak Hill potatoes which were served at the noon hour.

After the adjournment, a seed, pattern and sack exchange was held. Mrs. W. S. Nutt and Mrs. Howard Curtis were visitors.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. George Buchholz. A book review will be given at this meeting and each member will design and model an Easter bonnet.

Title of Honor to Gen. McAuliffe

BRUSSELS, Belgium, March 25—(AP)—The title "Citizen of Honor of Bastogne" is to be conferred on U .S. Maj. Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe.

McAuliffe will be given the title in recognition of his outfit's heroic defense of the Belgian city during the Ardennes offensive in December, 1944.

McAuliffe's 101st airborne division held the Nazi-encircled city for seven days.

His famed one-word reply—"Nuts!"—to a German surrender call has become part of Belgian history.

Bastogne now labels itself the "Nuts City."

Two Tripiers

NEW YORK —(AP)— Two sprinters have won the IC4A 60-yard dash three times. James Daley of Holy Cross turned the trick in 1928-29-30, while Columbia's Ben Johnson led the field in 1935-37-38. Johnson is co-holder of the meet's dash record of 6.2 seconds with several runners.

Democrat-Capital class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

Held

William C. Mahurin (above), 53, of Farmington, Mo., was charged with perjury and held for investigation after his wife, 46, died of burns at their farm home March 17. Mahurin said a kitchen stove exploded and burned her. (AP Photo)

April 6 Is Army Day

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25—(AP)—Gov. Forrest Smith today proclaimed April 6 Army Day. He asked Missourians to observe it "and dedicate ourselves anew to the task of keeping our nation strong and free, in a peaceful world."

German Servants go to England

HAMBURG, Germany —(AP)— The British military government reports that 2,345 German women have gone to Britain as domestic servants.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

I will appreciate your vote and support in the city election Tuesday, April 5th
Truman J. McMillin
Republican Candidate for Alderman Third Ward

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

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ASPHALT SHINGLES
By OLD AMERICAN"
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FOR ALL YOUR ROOFING PROBLEMS
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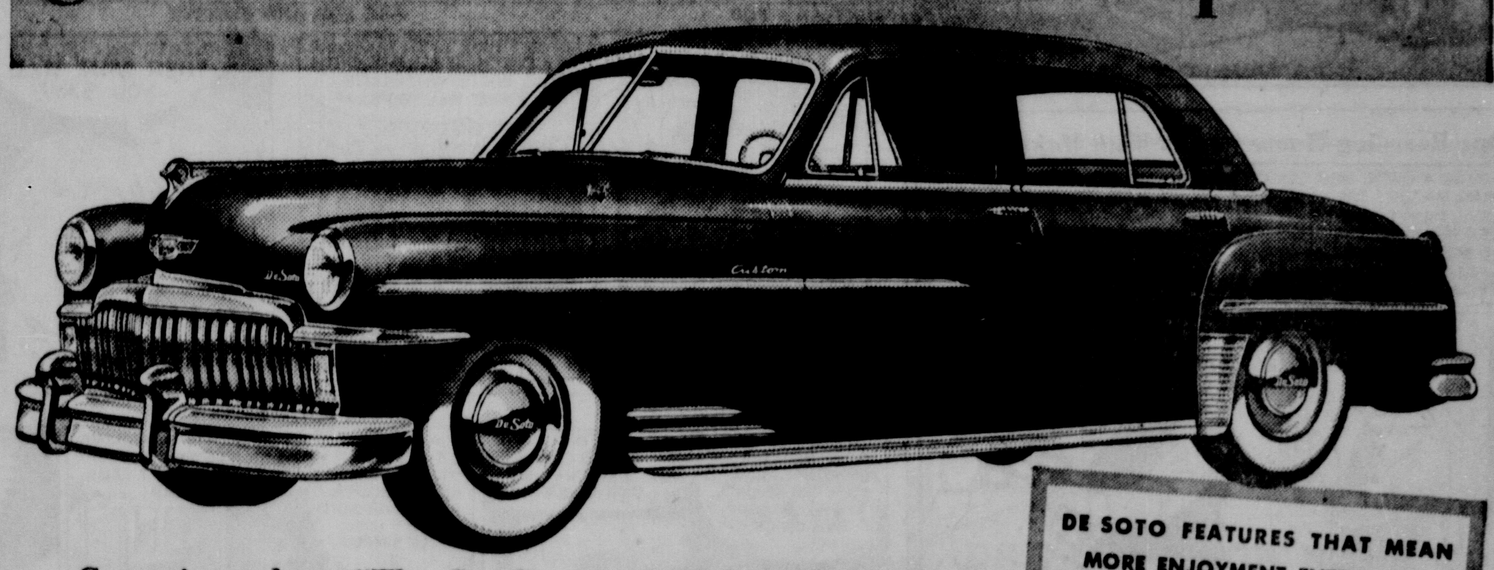
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It's BRAND-NEW . . . so new that there aren't many on the streets yet. But already it's a tremendous success. And it's easy enough to see *why*.
Everybody wants a smart, good-looking modern car. But most of us don't want to pay a penalty for being modern. We want more room . . . more comfort . . . more visibility . . . *not less.*
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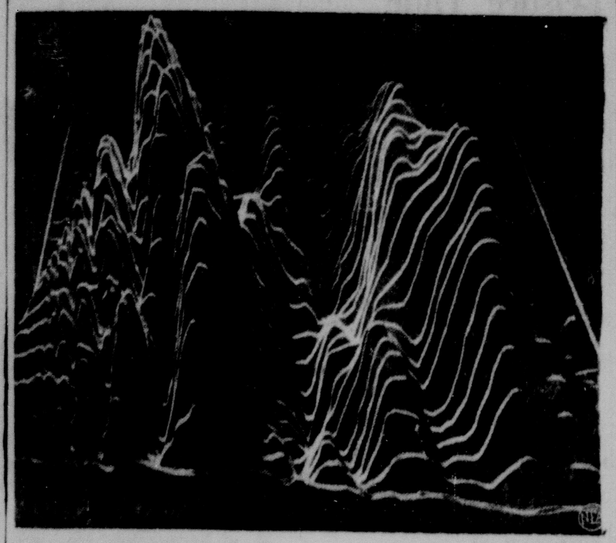
Carnival — By Dick Turner

"There was an item about them on the sidewalk this morning!"

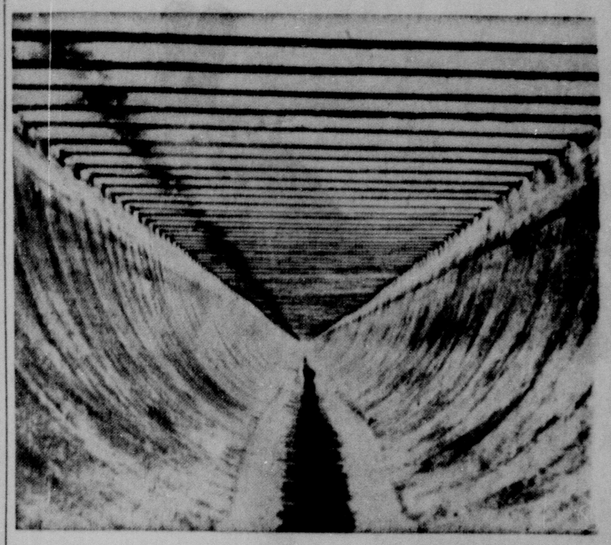
Whatzit Dept.

Starring New Variations on an Old Theme: "Things Ain't Always What They Seem"

Got them figured out yet? Well, that "moonlight" scene is a three-dimensional model showing how electrical peaks and valleys can build up as a simulated lightning stroke travels through a specially-wound copper soil. It is used in research at the General Electric laboratory at Pittsfield, Mass. The "big ditch" is a study in perspective of a 1285-foot metal flume near Merced, California



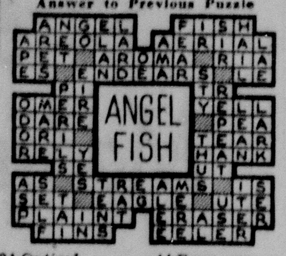
Moonlight on the Grand Canyon?



Might be a big ditch—but it isn't

Shell-Dweller

Answer to Previous Puzzle

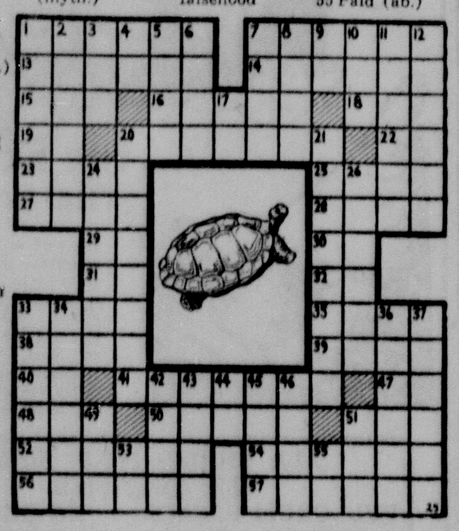


HORIZONTAL

1 Depicted reptilian animal
7 Some have valuable ——
13 Accustomed
14 Military unit
15 Chest bone
16 Leerer
18 Bind
19 Near
20 Massaged
22 Tellurium (symbol)
23 Half (prefix)
25 State
27 Revise
28 Organs of hearing
29 Red Cross (ab.)
30 Deciliter (ab.)
31 Exclamation
32 Rough lava
33 Fury
35 It has a long ——
38 Unclosed
39 Employs
40 Palm lily
41 Hails
47 Street (ab.)
48 Spread
50 Jewish month
51 Consumed
52 Card game
54 Tearer
56 Impressed
57 Vipers

VERTICAL

1 Harangue
2 Many varieties live in the —— States
3 Polish
4 Transpose (ab.)
5 Man's name
6 Rim
5 Vehicle used on snow
8 In this place
9 Exempli gratia (ab.)
10 Ignited
11 Tarry
12 Shows contempt
17 Musical note
20 Some varieties end in ——
21 Icarus' father (myth.)
24 Optical illusion
26 Swiss canton
33 Decayed
34 Each
36 Suppurate
37 Natural fats
42 Poker stake
43 Told a falsehood
44 Pronoun
45 Early Irish capital
46 Feminine name
49 City in Palestine
51 Imitate
53 Right (ab.)
55 Paid (ab.)



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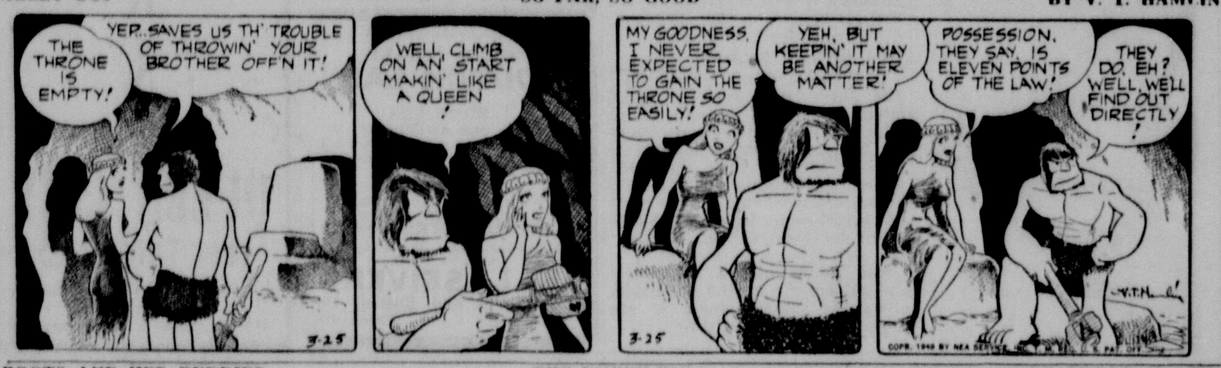
ALLEY OOP — SO FAR, SO GOOD — BY V. T. HAMLIN



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES — THE UNVEILING — BY ERGAR MARTIN

PRISCILLA'S POP — ASK FOR AND RECEIVE — BY AL VERMEER

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1948 International ¾-Ton, like new.
1947 Chev. 2-Ton Tractor with air brakes.
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1947 G.M.C. 1½-Ton L.W.B.
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We Specialize In Service For
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3rd and Osage

I Announcements

1—Cards of Thanks

MORRIS: C. O.—We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives, neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy at the death of our dear husband and father. We specially want to thank Rev. Del McLaughlin and Rev. Ira Griffis for their most comforting words. We also thank the quartet.
Mrs. C. O. Morris and Family.

6—Monuments and Cemetery Lots

YOUR FAMILY MONUMENT is bought once and lasts forever. Be wise, choose Heynen Monuments. 301 East 3rd.

7—Personals

RAWLEIGH'S PRODUCTS: Sold at 1214 East 6th. Phone 2103-W

WATKINS PRODUCTS. Store 812 West 16th. Phone 1011. Powell Cain.

MABELLE BEAUTY SHOP now located at 210½ South Ohio. Look for red sign. Phone 824.

IT'S moving day for dirt when you use Fina Foam on rugs and upholstery. Rosenthal's Basement.

KANSAS CITY STAR AND TIMES: Morning, evening and Sunday issues. (13 times per week) 35c a week; $1.52 a month. Phone Kansas City Star 292 Sedalia.

WANTED: Any good folks in our lovely Sedalia who want to give anything to a lonely family, whose good home burned completely down recently? Please call 5370-J. Mrs. William H. Schneider, Route 5, Sedalia. "What would Jesus do?"

RUMMAGE SALE

7 a. m. at 210 West Main
March 26, 1949
LADIES GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST: Blond, male Cocker. Answers to name of Taffy. Phone 876-J.

STRAYED: WHITE GILT, 175 pounds. Notify Burlingame, 28th and Massachusetts. Phone 1709-J.

BROODER STOVE LOST between Sedalia and Marshall Junction. Phone 2654-W. Reward.

LOST: WALDRON LADIES WATCH somewhere in shopping district. J. D. Heinrich, Pilot Grove.

II Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

1946 FORD TUDOR, good. Call 890-M.

1938 FORD V-8: Priced to sell. 403 East 17th. Phone 626-W.

GOOD USED CARS: Cheap Decker Used Cars. 15th and Ohio.

1939 CHEVROLET business coupe. J. D. West 4th, after 5 p. m.

1942 PACKARD CLIPPER. Radio and heater. Reasonable. 911 East 5th.

MODEL A FORD COUPE. Extra clean. $135. Main and Park. Phone 4012.

1932 OLDSMOBILE COUPE. Good. 5359-W-3 Sundays or after 6 p. m.

1940 STUDEBAKER COMMANDER. Good. Climatizer control, radio. $535. Phone 5198-M-2.

1934 CHEVROLET tudor, good condition, good tires, and spare. Metal top, heater. Reasonable. Phone 1383-W.

SPECIAL 1946 Hudson Super 8. Excellent condition. Low mileage. Owner must sell now. Sacrifice $1340. 915 West 4th. Phone 3215.

1936 CHEVROLET COACH. Extra good transportation. $195. Model A Ford, $85. 1941 Lincoln sedan, radio and heater $750. 2118 East Broadway.

DAVIS BROTHERS MOTOR COMPANY selling out at 2245 East Broadway. 1941 Pontiac 5-passenger coupe. 1939 Dodge, clean. 1937 Ford 5-Passenger. 1937 Plymouth coach, cheap. 1937 Ford coach. 1938 Buick convertible. Davis Brothers Motor Company. See Mr. Chiles.

1949 ENGLISH FORD
Brand New
$1,050
Call 1472 after 5:30 p. m.
or 517 Days

1941 CHEVROLET Tudor
This green Chevrolet Tudor is as clean as a pin. Has radio, heater, sunvisor and spotlight. Priced right to sell.

1947 Jeep Station Wagon
Exceptionally clean, has overdrive and heater. This fine car can be used for both pleasure and light truck work. Priced to sell.

1939 FORD TUDOR
Beautiful satin black finish, clean as a hound's tooth and in perfect condition. Has heater and white wall tires. Priced right.

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HAMILTON MOTOR CO.
500 West Main Street in Sedalia
Phone 4633
We are open from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m. Weekdays, Sundays 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

11A—House Trailers for Sale

23 FOOT TRAILER HOUSE. Bill Cochran, Hudson Oil Station. 8 a. m. and 3 p. m. 641 East Broadway.

12—Auto Trucks for Sale

1936 CHEVROLET SEDAN delivery truck. Earl Leaton. Phone 3120, Otterville.

1948 G. M. C. TRACTOR two ton, two speed axle, fully equipped and leased to Brooks Truck Line, Marshall, Missouri. Sell with or without job. Phone 215-W

13—Auto Accessories, Tires Parts

PENNSYLVANIA TIRE. 19x4.75. Carl Jarshwitch, at Dixie Station, North 65 and City limits.

14A—Garages

MAGNETO REPAIRING. Latest modern equipment. Satisfaction guaranteed. Dewey and Keith's Auto Service, 1604 South Ingram. Phone 4713

WELDING: Complete welding service, portable welding where and when you need it. Farm machinery repaired. Iron wheels mounted on drop center rims. Also saw sharpening, tools repaired. For expert service come in, 211 East Main or call 2624 Allied Welding Industries.

III Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

CONCRETE AND ROAD GRAVEL: Phone 4675-J.

IDEAL PRINTING COMPANY. 411 Wilkerson at Monteau. Phone 120.

RADIO REPAIRING at Cecil's Bicycle Shop, 704 South Ohio. 3947

RADIO REPAIRING: Carl R. Goist, 210 South Lamine. Phone 4673.

PUMP REPAIR SERVICE. 4430 O. J. Monsees, 312 East 16th.

RADIO REPAIRING: Hook's Radio Service. 310 West 2nd. Phone 113.

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE 25 years at 1319 South Osage. Phone 854.

BUILDING SEWERS and septic tanks. 1206 South Grand. Phone 2084-W.

CONCRETE WORK WANTED: Phone 2937 Mac Crafton, 1808 South Missouri

REFRIGERATION SERVICE. Bailes Refrigeration Company. 114 East Main. Phone 420.

TOILETS AND CESS POOLS cleaned. Sewers unstopped and sanitary work. Call 2720.

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WOULD LIKE TO DO SIGN, Sno-card and poster work. Spare time. Jack, 901 East Broadway

WASHER SERVICE: Wringer rolls, parts, belts. We repair all makes. Pickup deliver. Burkholder's. 202 Ohio. Phone 114.

UPHOLSTERING, slipcovering. John Miller Upholstering Shop. 613 So. Engineer. 2295

ELECTRIC MOTORS REPAIRED, rebuilt. All work guaranteed. Cole's Electric Motor Service. 420 South Osage. Phone 410.

WASHERS, RADIOS. Vacuum sweepers repaired. All makes. Sales and Service. Sedalia Vacuum Company. 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

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WASHER, RADIO AND REFRIGERATION SERVICE
On all makes and models.
Pickup and delivery.
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WARDS SERVICE DEPT.

18B—For Rent

LIME QUARRY FOR LEASE. 5,000 tons uncovered. Test 98%. 5248-M-2.

19—Building and Contracting

CARPENTER REPAIR WORK and roofing. Phone 4172-J.

CARPENTER, PAINTING, REPAIR work wanted. Guy Brownfield. Phone 2228.

MODERNIZE YOUR KITCHEN with our built-ins. Free designing and estimates. Material used at wholesale prices. Terms if desired. Homecraft Cabinet Works. Phone 54.

WINDOW SCREENS, DOORS, picture windows, any size, made to order. Binderup, 1110 East 3rd. Phone 768 or 5440-R.

23—Insurance and Surety Bonds

M. F. A. INSURANCE: All kinds. L. C. Robinson, 1414 East 14th.

24—Laundering

WASHINGS WANTED: Phone 4893-W.

WASHINGS WANTED: Quick service. Phone 2543.

WASHINGS WANTED: No ironings. Phone 1702-J.

WASHINGS: Will call for and deliver. Phone 3857-W.

WASHINGS AND IRONINGS WANTED. 902 East Boonville. Phone 1370-J

EASY WASH DAYS at Serve Your Self Laundry. 718 West 16th. Phone 3257

YOU MAY DO YOUR OWN laundry here or we will do it for you. Russell's Laundry Service. 503 East 3rd. Phone 878.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

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26—Painting, Papering, Decorating

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WALL PAPER CLEANED: Cleaner that cleans. J. Cutler, Dugans 142.

HANGING AND CLEANING PAPER. Work guaranteed. Phone 4482-J

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WALL PAPER CLEANING: Wall washing. Work guaranteed. Phone 5031-J.

PAINTING: Decorating. Paper hanging. Neat work. H. D. Davis. Phone 3730-J

UNION PAINTING, paper hanging and steaming paper. Jay Nicholson, Jr. Phone 4447-R.

26A—Painting—Decorating

PAINTING AND ODD JOBS: Experienced. Reuben W. Cordes. 1007 South Massachusetts. Phone 4507-W.

29—Repairing and Refinishing

FLOOR SANDING by experienced men. Free estimates. Phone 2928-W

HIGH GRADE FURNITURE refinishing. Antiques. J. R. Starkey. Phone 2853-J.

30—Tailoring and Pressing

TAILORING AND ALTERATIONS. Suits to measure. John Theiss, 218 Lamine.

IV Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

SEAMSTRESS WANTED. Competent. 804 West 4th. Phone 2329.

THREE WAITRESSES WANTED. Must be experienced. Reed Drug Company.

BEAUTY OPERATOR WANTED. Good hours, good salary. Write Box 30 care Democrat.

GIRL WANTED for general housework in modern country home. Stay nights. Write Box "26" care Democrat.

MIDDLE AGE WHITE WOMAN for general housework and ironing. Small family. Hours 8:30 to 2:30. Write Box 32 care Democrat.

WAITRESS WANTED. Experienced preferred. Good references. Deep Rock Cafe, Highway 65. Phone 3351-M before 3 p. m., 4272 after 3 p. m.

EXPERIENCED WHITE WOMAN wanted for general housework. Modern country home. References required. Write Box 37, care Democrat.

33—Help Wanted—Male

BUS BOY WANTED: White. Puckett's Cafe.

CARRIER BOYS WANTED. Phone 291 Kansas City Star. Harry Brougher Distributor.

MARRIED MAN to work on farm. Experienced. House, garden and cow furnished. Steady work. Phone 5121-M-4.

MARRIED MAN for farm work. House, garden and milk cow furnished. Must give good references and must have tractor experience. Farm located at Lone Elm store, 6 miles northeast Bunceton, Missouri. Hillard Niebrugge, Bunceton, Missouri.

33A—Salesmen Wanted

SALESMAN WANTED. Salary and commission. Full time. Wollets, Main and Osage.

TWO SALESMEN WANTED: Travel in Missouri and Arkansas. Salary and commission. See J. T. Campbell, Terry Hotel.

WANTED SALESMAN. Evening selling, will not interfere with your present work. Good commissions. Wollets, Main and Osage.

INSURANCE AGENT
WANTED
To collect and sell insurance
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HEALTH AND
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Established debit. Sedalia only.
Good salary and commission.
Write Post Office Box "88"
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33A—Salesmen Wanted
Continued:

WELL ESTABLISHED LOCALLY OWNED FIRM WANTS A-1 SALESMAN

For inside and outside selling. Wonderful opportunity. Good salary and commission for right man. State name, age, address, telephone number and selling experience first letter.
All replies held in strictest confidence. Our men know of this ad.
Write Box 36 Care Democrat-Capital today.

34—Help—Male and Female

MAN AND WIFE for farm and house work. Electricity, good house. Harold Williams, Hughesville, Missouri.

MIDDLE AGED COUPLE with farm experience desire steady work on farm. Write A. M. Wilckens, Knob Noster, Missouri.

36—Situations Wanted—Female

BABY SITTING OR SHUT-INS: Day or night. Phone 5471-W.

PRACTICAL NURSE: Experienced. Excellent references. Phone 1440.

WOMAN wants light housekeeping work, experienced. Stay nights. Phone 3989.

37—Situations Wanted—Male

TRASH HAULING WANTED: Phone 5578.

V Financial

38—Business Opportunities

TO LEASE: Or on commission, a garage, acetylene welding, tools and machinery. Oney Deal, Shackelford, Missouri. Phone Blackburn 11-F-23.

COMPLETELY EQUIPPED RESTAURANT: Close-in on Highway, doing splendid business, also adjoining 5 room house, modern, full basement, built-ins, bath, shower, automatic hotwater, double garage. An unusual opportunity to secure a combination business and home. Price $15,000. See E. H. McLaughlin at Porter Real Estate Company. Exclusive Agent.

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

FARM AND CITY LOANS: 4% no commission. W. D. Smith.

VII Livestock

47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

HAVE REGISTERED COCKER: Male, for stud purposes. Call 2442-W after 5 p. m.

PUREBRED ENGLISH SHEPHERD spaded female. Less than 2 years old. Real working dog. Reasonable. Fred Grabau, Cole Camp.

48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

MILK GOATS FOR SALE: Phone 4379.

SPRINGER COWS and milk cows. Phone 3696-J.

BRED GILTS: Extra nice. Phone 5172-M-4.

WORK HORSES AND MULES for sale. 2023 South Grand.

SOW and eleven 8 weeks old pigs. Hankins, Phone 5372-M-2.

TEAM HORSES AND COLT: U. S. 50 and Route E. C. Hiltenburg.

TWO FRESH JERSEYS: Extra good butter cows. 1702 West Broadway.

FRESH MILK COWS and springer heifers. Frank Colbern. Phone 3094.

REGISTERED ANGUS BULL, 3 years old. Good. Phone 22-F-4, LaMonte.

REGISTERED HEREFORD BULLS and heifers. Olin Klein, Smithton, Mo.

PAIR GENTLE MULES: Five years. Harry Klein, Phone 1722 Otterville.

SIX YEAR OLD BLACK HORSE: Well broke. Carl Smith, LaMonte, Missouri.

WANTED: SOMEONE to break 3 year old draft horse for its work. Write Box 35 care Democrat.

TEAM MARE MULES, 4 year olds, broke. Also good harness. Earl Leaton, Otterville, Missouri.

YOUNG TEAM OF MARES: 5 and 6 years old. Ethel Weedin, LaMonte, Route 2. Six miles northwest.

TWO YOUNG DAIRY COWS: One fresh, Guernsey bull, 11 months old. See Sunday. B. McCarty, 25th and Marshall.

10 REGISTERED YEARLING Hereford bulls. Top quality and breeding. Dick Monsees. Route 5, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 5245-M-4.

TWO YOUNG SOWS, fifteen pigs, one yearling Guernsey heifer, bangs free, five year old registered Hampshire ram. Donald Rages, Smithton, Phone 2205, Florence.

49—Poultry and Supplies

FRYERS FOR SALE: Edna Broyles, 1802 South Summit.

LIVE AND DRESSED FRYERS, bakers, eggs. 1822 Ingram. Phone 3895.

BABY CHICKS: Hatched from the finest egg strains of Pettis County. A new hatch off every Monday. Custom hatching service. Conkey's Y-O feeds. Brooders, fountains, feeders, brooding litter, etc. Write, Phone or call in person. Sedalia Chick Hatchery, 203 West 4th Street. Phone 3076. Sedalia, Missouri.

U. S. APPROVED Pullorum controlled chicks. New Hampshire, Austra-White, White Rock, White Leghorn. AA grade, straight run $10.90 per 100. AAA grade $12.50. Heavy cockerels $10.90. Austra-White cockerels $7.90. Leghorn cockerels $3.90. 100% alive and quick delivery. Two hatches per week. Order direct. Stover Hatchery, Stover, Missouri.

FERGUSON EGG BRED CHICKS: Hatched from big eggs produced by select, blood tested breeders. Sexed or straight-run chicks. Eastern Hampshire and Hanson White Leghorns, $13 per hundred. White Rocks, White Wyandottes, Reds, per hundred $12.50. Three and four week old started chicks. Custom hatching 2c per egg. Come in. Call in or mail in order today. Ferguson Poultry Farm, Phone 270, Tipton, Missouri.

50—Wanted—Live Stock

TOP PRICES PAID for quality fryers and hens. Will Farrie. Phone 177.

WANTED HORSES AND MULES: E. L. Busker, 2023 South Grand. Phone 3527-J.

VIII Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

TWO GOOD STOKERS, one 30 gallon automatic hot water tank. 112 East 6th.

MENAUGH'S ANTIQUES. Highway 65 South. Antiques bought and sold. Phone 383.

BRIGGS and STRATTON washing machine motor, 4 cycle oil cooled. 601 East 10th.

INCUBATOR, typewriter, bicycle, mangle, watches, lamps and antiques. 2300 South Ohio.

USED OAK DESKS. Priced to sell. See at 114 East 2nd Street. (Former Teen Town Building).

WASHER WRINGER ROLLS, belts, parts, vacuum cleaner bags, belts, brushes. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

ALL STEEL FILING CABINETS, new. Three or four drawer letter or legal size. See at 114 East 2nd Street. (Former Teen Town Building).

BICYCLE, Sewing Machines, Radiants, cabinets, trunks, rugs, clocks, office furniture, counters, shelving, doors, plumbing tools, paint, typewriters, saddles, plows, scales, Frigidaire, hospital bed, hemstitching machine. Store 1207 Ingram. Phone 2926.

VIII Merchandise
Continued:

51—Articles for Sale
Continued

DRY OAK WOOD: Also hedge posts. Phone 5176-M-2.

51B—Dead Animals

HIGHEST PRICES FOR
DEAD ANIMALS
"Removal in 2 hr's of call"
SEDALIA RENDERING CO., Inc.
We Pay Phone Calls
Phone 5090 Res. Pho. 3908-J

TOP PRICES PAID for fallen animals. Prompt truck pickup anywhere in this territory. Just phone 3033 Sedalia collect. Standard Rendering Company.

53—Building Materials

PINE AND OAK LUMBER. Delivered. Any amount. Wills. Phone 3658-J.

OAK, PINE LUMBER, delivered. Furnell. 1941 East 6th. Phone 1383-W

54—Business and Office Equipment

STEEL UTILITY DESKS. With or without filing compartment attached. Priced to sell. See at Former Teen Town Building. 114 East 2nd Street.

SHOE REPAIR
EQUIPMENT
Stitcher, patch machine, finisher, cash register, etc. Also findings. Will sacrifice due to accident.
Will sell any part or all.
1122 East Third

55-A—Farm Equipment

SURGE MILKING MACHINE: Two single units, nearly new. Phone 5205-J-3.

IH FARMALL TRACTOR and cultivator for sale. Marion Houchen, Hughesville, Mo.

OLIVER 70, newly overhauled. On rubber. John Deere oat seeder. Good. Harold Stephens, Route 3, Sedalia.

M. M. SEPARATOR 28x46, Oliver Combine, 5 foot. H. W. Brandt, La Monte, Missouri. Phone Sweet Springs 16-F-3.

DELCO LIGHT PLANT: 32 volt with batteries in good shape. Phone 24-F-13. Ernest Fredrick, LaMonte, Missouri.

NEW ELECTRIC BROODER: 500 capacity. $25.00. Hotblast coal circulating stove. Elmer Alfrey, Route 3. Phone 5-F-13.

IRON WHEEL WAGON AND BOX; six shovel cultivator, good shape. A. W. Walker, Beaman, Missouri. Phone 5180-M-2.

NEW ALLIS W. D. with cultivator, new Farmall H, and cultivator, 48 Farmall M, cultivator and loader. 41 Allis W. C. Extra good. Otto Zimmerschied, Otterville, Missouri.

GRAIN BINS: Martin steel and aluminum. All sizes, reduced prices. Immediate delivery. Albert Mahnken, Farm Building and Supply, Route 1, Cole Camp, Missouri.

56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

WINDSOR COAL and good wood. High Point Service. Phone 4224

HICKORY AND OAK WOOD delivered. Any amount. Phone 1337-R.

LESPEDEZA HAY, Corn Planter. J. T. Long, Smithton, Phone 1521.

GOOD WINDSOR LUMP COAL. Delivered. Wallace McCown. Phone 4882-W

LESPEDEZA AND TIMOTHY HAY: $12.50 and $15.00 a ton. Phone 3604 Syracuse, Missouri.

GOOD MIXED HAY, $17.00. Recleaned Clinton oats, $1.00. Herman Knipp, Tipton, Missouri. Phone 4002.

57—Good Things to Eat

POPCORN: The kind that pops. Bill Phillips. Phone 5138-R-2.

LOWREY'S CORN FED BEEF: By the quarter at Hughesville locker. Phone 37

59—Household Goods

GAS RANGE, good condition. 1020 South Osage.

UPRIGHT PIANO, electric sweeper. Phone 2307-W.

PIANO, Heatrola. New range tank. Myrtle Bohon, 510 East 10th.

FURNITURE, TOOLS: Bought, sold traded. Ralph's, 106 West 11th. Phone 4125.

FOUR VENETIAN BLINDS for double windows. Cheap. Phone 2193 evenings.

COMBINATION CHINA BUFFET, Lawn mower, radio, electric sweeper. Phone 2659. 647 East 15th.

VENETIAN BLINDS. Quick delivery, installation free. Callies Furniture Company. 203 West Main. Phone 412.

WE BUY, SELL AND TRADE: 1218 South Engineer. J. B. Shull Used Furniture Store. All merchandise satisfactory.

REFRIGERATORS—LEONARD. New, 5 year guarantee. All 1949 models. Prices from $209.95. Easy monthly payments. A little down will deliver. Mehornay's 125 South Ohio.

USED WASHERS $35—New and used sweepers, radios. Easy payments. Sedalia Vacuum Company. 513 Lamine. Phone 4710.

VENETIAN BLINDS: Quality blinds, expertly installed. Small down payment, balance monthly. The Blindman." Phone 768 or 5440-R.

59B—Furniture For Rent

SIMMONS ADJUSTABLE hospital beds for rent. Callies Furniture Company.

60—Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds

RAILROAD WATCH: (Standard). Fine condition. Reasonable. Mrs. Alspach. Phone 3683.

62—Musical Merchandise

UPRIGHT PIANO: In good condition. Phone 4240-R.

COMBINATION table model Majestic radio, walnut. Very good. $35. 2 lamps, $15. Two end tables, walnut, $10. 804 West 3rd. Phone 2257-J.

SPINET PIANO: We have an almost new Spinet in this vicinity (cost over $700.00). We will turn over to parties with good credit willing to assume monthly payments of $23.95 for balance due. Write Auditor, Gribble Corporation, 919 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

LESPEDEZA RECLEANED $6.00. Columbian seed oats, feed wheat. Phone 5198-M-2

GOOD RECLEANED LESPEDEZA seed. Priced $5.25 $6.00. Lewis Smith, Otterville, Route 1. Phone 2822

RECLEANED ALSIKE CLOVER: $17.50 per bushel. Carl C. Siegel, Florence, Missouri. Phone Otterville 3520.

CLINTON OATS: Grown from certified seed. State tested 94. Fred Harsh, 3 miles northeast Smithton. Phone 1511.

SEED OATS: Ames number two, $1.25 bushel. Red Clover seed, clean, 45c pound. R. A. Sundwall, 1416 South Osage. Phone 2993.

PRAIRIE AND LESPEDEZA HAY by ton or bale. Lespedeza seed. Seed potatoes. Certified Cobblers and Pontiacs. Thurman Fruit Market. 302 East 16th. Phone 2950.

RED CLOVER
SEED
JOHN N. SNEED
PHONE 5346-W-1

65—Wearing Apparel

GOOD SUITS and overcoats, cheap, good condition. Holmes Cleaners

BOY'S CLOTHES: Size 12 and 13. Palm Beach suit. Practically new shoes and suits. Wool trousers, corduroys, dungarees, overcoat, helmet, raincoat and helmet, overshoes, tennis shoes, sweaters, etc. Phone 1982-W.

VIII Merchandise
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65—Wearing Apparel
Continued

GOOD COATS AND DRESSES: Cheap. Size 14. 1218 East 12th.

LADIES SPRING COAT: Attractive, like new, all wool. $10. 753-W.

66—Wanted—To Buy

LARGE PRINT BIBLE WANTED: 1105 East 3rd. A. G. Collins.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID for good used furniture. Callies Furniture Company.

GUNS WANTED: Will trade for 25 automatic, also any other guns. Will trade $275 aluminum boat for Kodak Medalist in good condition. Wollets, Main and Osage. Phone 473.

IX Rooms and Board

67—Rooms with Board

ROOM AND BOARD. 400 East 2nd. Phone 2467-J.

AGED PENSIONERS: Room and board. 408 East 2nd.

68—Rooms without Board

SLEEPING ROOM: 521 East 10th. Phone 4432-W.

MODERN SLEEPING ROOM: 1005 South Missouri. Phone 4778-M

FRONT SLEEPING ROOM: Employed. Close-in. 408 West 6th

SLEEPING ROOM. Kitchen privileges, employed lady. 218 West 7th. 3791-W.

BEDROOM: Private bath, garage. 512 West Broadway. Phone 2278 evenings.

SLEEPING ROOM—automatic hot water heater, clothes closet. 511 West 2nd.

UNFURNISHED ROOM: Utilities and gas heat furnished. $12.50 month. Call 270.

SLEEPING ROOM and living room. Private bath, telephone. Two men or couple. 618 West 6th. Phone 1735-R.

72—Where to Stop in Town

$5.00 PER WEEK
MILNER HOTEL
201 East 2nd St. Phone 210

X Real Estate for Rent

74—Apartments and Flats

BEDROOM IN MODERN HOME: Kitchen privileges. Phone 958.

TWO ROOM APARTMENT: Upstairs. 1314 South Kentucky

TWO ROOM FURNISHED apartment. Utilities paid. Adults. 1526 East 4th.

NEW APARTMENT: 3 rooms, modern, furnished. Close-in. Adults. Phone 2757.

LIVING ROOM, BEDROOM, bath adjoining and kitchen privileges. 804 West 4th.

TWO LOVELY SLEEPING ROOMS: Kitchen privilege optional. Employed ladies. 112 East 6th.

TWO ROOM APARTMENT: Also three room apartment over Ken Williams store. Call Ken Williams.

THREE ROOM MODERN APARTMENT: Private bath, all utilities paid. $60.00 a month. Phone 1719-W.

THREE ROOM furnished apartment. Modern. Hardwood floors. Nicely furnished. Adults. 709 West 5th.

SLEEPING ROOM, FIRST FLOOR: Front. Kitchen privileges, home comforts. Employed lady preferred. Phone 3509-W.

TWO ROOM FURNISHED apartment, modern, utilities paid, garage. Employed Couple. Call 4778-W Sunday or after 5:30 week days.

76A—Pasture for Rent

50 ACRE PASTURE, 9 miles south of Sedalia. Garden on shares. 1263 South Massachusetts. Phone 2497-J.

77—Houses for Rent

FIVE ROOMS: Modern. 616 West 10th. See after 5 p. m.

FOUR APARTMENT DWELLING: West Main Street. Prefer renting to one person. Good income. Inquire at 320 South Ohio.

78—Offices and Desk Room

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT or lease. 404½ South Ohio. Phone 4748.

79A—Garden For Rent

GARDEN FOR RENT: Phone 3368.

81—Wanted—To Rent

FOUR OR FIVE unfurnished rooms wanted by couple. Apartment or house. References. Phone 4848-W.

XI Real Estate for Sale

82A—Business For Sale

GROCERY, SELF SERVICE, Good volume. A-1 fixtures. Write Box 132, Boonville, Missouri.

RESTAURANT: Completely equipped. Doing good business on Main Street. Charles Gentry, Ilgenfritz Building.

83—Farms and Land for Sale

9 ACRES, four room house. Four miles out. Cheap. Phone 2453-J after 5 p. m.

7 ACRES, IMPROVED, 8 miles west of Fair Grounds on 16th Street. Fred Henley.

40 ACRES: Electricity, built-ins, new water system, plenty buildings, including 24x50 laying house, new fences, spring branch, milk, mail and school route. Possession. R. A. Morris, Otterville.

117½ ACRES: 60 acres in cultivation, more can be. Balance blue grass pasture. Seven room house, 30x60 barn, outbuildings. Lots water. ¼ mile to grade school. Gravel raod, mail high school, milk route, electricity 8 miles East Sedalia, 2 miles north Smithton. Priced to sell. N. A. Monsees, on farm.

73 ACRES, ½ mile from town on Highway 50. 58 tillable, 15 timber. Extra good buildings. Strictly modern house, 5 rooms, full bath, built-ins. Pressure water system. Barn 28x30. Six stanchions. Electricity in house, barn, henhouse. Leaving state. Arthur Rohrbach, Phone 2430 Syracuse, Missouri.

SPLENDID STOCK AND
GRAIN FARM OF
474 ACRES
42 head cattle, 22 cows, 10 head coming 2 years. Balance fall and winter calves. Good work team. Harness and wagon. 14 head hogs, large and small.

Tractor, Hammer Mill, 8-foot Disc, One Cultivator, Fertilizer Spreader. All the above is new, never been used. One 10-foot Power Binder, 2 Cultivators. 1500 bushel Corn Crib. 1200 bushel Oats. Large improvements.
Price of farm and equipment, $85 per acre. Terms if wanted. 2 miles of town in Cooper County, Mo. Possession in 30 days.
GRAVES AND NEAL
Ilgenfritz Bldg., Sedalia, Mo.
W. H. Morris, Salesman

84—Houses for Sale

SIX ROOM HOUSE. Modern. double Garage. Phone 4642-W

FIVE ROOMS: All modern. Automatic water heater. 652 East 11th.

FIVE ROOMS: Semi-modern, east side. Phone 3697 evenings. Sundays.

GOOD FOUR ROOM HOUSE: 1½ acres. Located in Syracuse, Missouri. Priced to sell. John Sanders, Florence, Missouri.

PARKSIDE HOME FOR SALE
Thoroughly modern. Ready to occupy. Liberal FHA loan terms. Small down payment will handle. Monthly payments like rent. Investigate this one before you buy.
Mid-State Building Company,
Dan Robinson Nash Garage
Phone 3583

XI Real Estate for Sale
Continued:

84—Houses for Sale
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FOUR ROOM HOUSE. Modern. Reasonable. 919 West 5th. Phone 4773-W

SIX ROOM HOUSE: Lights and water. $2800.00. Phone 5463-J after 6 p. m.

EIGHT ROOMS: Two baths. $5,000. 516 East 5th. Phone 4157-W after 5 p. m.

NEW FIVE ROOM EFFICIENCY: Small down payment, balance on G. I. loan. $25 monthly. 1803 East 6th.

FIVE ROOMS: Modern, full basement, 3 blocks from Ohio street. Owner, 10205 East 9th, Kansas City 3, Missouri. Phone IN 0458.

AN EXTRA NICE BASEMENT HOME: Improved lot, southeast. Live in it, build on it, its ready. It cost $3300.00 to build this, less my own labor. If you know a bargain and can act, own it for $1350.00. This deal is off Sunday, March 27, at 10 p. m. Owner Joe Vaughan, 2011 Ingram. Phone 5464-J.

85—Lots for Sale

ONE OR TWO LOTS: Utilities available. Phone 2517-J.

LOT FOR SALE including garage. 1403 South Carr. Phone 2208-W.

CORNER LOT: 12x16 building. Utilities available. Phone 4848-M.

89—Wanted—Real Estate

WE HAVE CASH PROSPECTS FOR HOMES IN SEDALIA. LIST WITH US FOR RESULTS. STEPHENSON REAL ESTATE, 102 EAST 5TH. PHONE 479

Lodge Notices

The Pettis County Chapter No. 270 O. E. S. will meet in regular session, Friday, March 25 at 7:30 p. m. Visiting members welcome. Degrees.
Celeste Kirkpatrick, W. M.
Gertrude Halland, Sec'y.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF E. W. THOMPSON MOTOR COMPANY

The annual meeting of the stockholders of E. W. Thompson Motor Company will be held at the office of the said company at 400 South Osage Street, Sedalia, Missouri, at 10:00 A. M. on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1949, for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
JOHN SUTHERLIN,
Secretary.
3-25, 4-1.

No. 9937
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Burns, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of January, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 17th day of January, 1949.
D. S. LAMM,
Executor.

Attested by me this 17th day of January, 1949.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-25, 4-1, 4-8, 4-15.

FOR SALE

7 room modern brick home $6500.
7 rooms, modern, corner, south carr ave.
2½ acres, 5 room modern house, good location.
4 rooms, modern except heat, part basement.
6 rooms, modern except heat, 4 lots, $3300.
5 rooms, full basement, gas furnace, built-in kitchen, hardwood floors, insulated.
6 rooms, newly decorated, basement, furnace, 923 East 10th.
8 apartment, modern, close in (yearly income $2,526.00).
5 rooms, lights, water, gas, built-in kitchen, ($500 will handle)
(Choice building lot, So. Kentucky, close in).
Garage (Building and Equipment) good location.

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GOOD BUYS IN HOMES

5 Rooms, lights, water, $2,000.
5 Rooms, modern east, $2800 down, $22.50 monthly.
5 Rooms, full basement, $5,800.
3 Rooms, S. W., $6,500.
6 Rooms modern $5,000.
5 Rooms, modern $1,500 down.
8 Rooms, W 7th $7,500
5 Rooms, new S W $8,000.
8 Rooms, Dal-Wni-Mo, $12,000.
6 Rooms, S W, $7,500.
2 Bedrooms $1200 down.

APARTMENTS

Duplex, W Broadway $10,500.
4 Apartments, brings $185 monthly, $12,500.
8 Rooms brings $155 monthly, plus 4 room apartment for owner, $18,000
11 Rooms, garage, 2 apartments, $150 monthly $15,000.

ACREAGES

10 Acres, 1½ mile from Sedalia, 4 room house $4,750.
10 Acres, edge of town, 4 room house, $5,500
30 Acres, 4 room house, $4,250.
Have a large selection of farms and businesses in and around Sedalia.

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● HOUSES

8 Rooms modern, close in, acreage $10,000
8 Rooms, strictly modern large grounds $9,750
6 Rooms, modern, West $8,750
5 Rooms, modern, fine condition $9,000
8 Rooms, 4 blocks from court house $6,500
6 Rooms, modern, full basement $6,000
6 Rooms, modern $5,750
6 Rooms and bath, paved corner $3,500
4 Rooms, new, possession $2,600

● FARMS

320 Acres, 275 acres tillable, good buildings and fences $40,000
250 Acres, north of Sedalia, good house and barn $11,100
230 Acres, 7 room house, 21 miles north $6,000
80 Acres, fair improvements, possession $2,500
80 Acres, 5 room house good fences and outbuildings $6,500
125 Acres, 4 room house, good water $2,500
10 Acres, 4 room house lights $5,100

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Thousands of Spies Operate In the U. S.

Secrets of Atom Bomb Seem to be Chief Objective

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—The House un-American activities committee said Thursday that "thousands of Russian agents" and more thousands of Americans are spying in the United States right now.

It said some of the spies "may" be attached to the Russian embassies or the United Nations.

And in a time of national crisis, the committee said, "the United States would have nearly 825,000 persons who are either spies, traitors or saboteurs working against us from within."

The statements were made in a pamphlet titled "spotlight on spies." Its publication was only one of several developments of the day bearing on U. S. relations with the Soviet world and the committee's own proceedings.

Precedes "Peace" Parley

Others included:

1. The state department made public a report declaring that "the Soviet government fears a free interchange of ideas" with the west because 30 years of Communism have failed to give the Soviet people a living standard even approximating that of Americans. The report was timed for the opening of the three day "world peace" conference in New York which the state department has predicted will be a sounding board for Communist propaganda.

2. The number of Soviet bloc delegates to the "peace" conference was cut from 21 to 19 when visas were denied two Romanians. The entry permits were denied because the Romanian government refused to send the delegates as officials rather than as private individuals.

3. Steve Nelson, western Pennsylvania Communist organizer, was served at Pittsburgh with a subpoena for his appearance at an un-American activities committee hearing here tentatively scheduled for April 18. Earlier, a committee member said that Nelson couldn't be located in his usual haunts. But Nelson accepted the subpoena at his office and expressed surprise that subpoena servers had not been able to find him. The committee wants to question him about the American Slav Congress.

Based On Hoover Figures

The House committee's estimate that there are 825,000 potential spies, traitors or saboteurs in the United States was based on some old figures of FBI director J. Edgar Hoover—74,000 Communist party members and Communist claims that for every member "there are 10 others ready, willing and able to do the party work."

What the current crop of spies wants most, the committee said, are "production secrets of the atom bomb." It said it knows some of the secrets have been stolen, but not how much of the bomb formula.

The committee mentioned no names of suspects in its pamphlet, which is mainly in question and answer form.

The committee said it has uncovered recent secret orders from abroad, to spy leaders here, listing 20-odd classes of information that is wanted on America's armed strength.

It said it knows of cases in which Russian agents or Americans working with them have made off with secrets on aviation, submarines, and industrial processes.

Because we let our Russian allies inspect this country and its defense industries during the war, the committee said, the Soviets have been able to print "a thick book which can easily be used as a handbook for bombing and sabotage against the United States."

The committee said it has "confessions to prove" that treasonable Americans are the actual thieves for Red spy networks in this country. But it said Communists trained in espionage actually direct the work.

Chamber of Commerce Courtesy Award Winners

Harry Williams, (top left) 1313 South Moniteau avenue, right, employed at Cal Rodgers, Sale and Service Station, Fifth street and Osage avenue, receiving the Courtesy Award check for the month of December from Maurice Hogan, chairman of the Retail Merchants committee of the Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. J. W. Leftwich (top right), 1811 South Lamine avenue, waiting on a customer, Mrs. Cleo Cecil, 706½ South Ohio avenue, at the Middleton-Peters Grocery where she is employed. Mrs. Leftwich won the C. of C. Courtesy Award for women for the month of December. Olaf Balke, 1021 East Seventeenth street, center, who is shown receiving the Courtesy Award for the month of November from Maurice Hogan, (left) chairman of the Retail Merchants committee. On the right is Cline Cain, one of the owners of the Cash Hardware store where Mr. Balke is employed. Miss Margaret Hough, left, of the Quincy Apartments, showing a spring bag to Mrs. Roy Taylor, of Longwood, a customer of the C. W. Flower Dry Goods store, where Miss Hough is employed. Miss Hough received the Courtesy Award for the month of November. (Photos by Glenn McVey)

About 1,000 at MW Roundup

Approximately 1,000 farmers of the Pettis county area visited the annual "Farmers Round-Up Day" program and demonstrations at the Montgomery Ward Farm store, from 10:30 o'clock in the morning until 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The store's line of farm implements and equipment was on display, and demonstrations were given of many of the items, including the chain saw, hammer mill, garden tractors, and others. Refreshments were served throughout the day.

The show was under the supervision of M. G. Goodrich as general manager of Montgomery Ward in Sedalia, J. F. Fear as manager of the Farm store, and Marion Greer. Mr. Fear also presented merchandise prizes which were awarded during the day.

Make Grants for Cancer Research

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Oscar R. Ewing, federal security administrator, Thursday announced Nat'l Cancer Institute grants of $671,200 to finance laboratory and clinical research in cancer.

Several institutions will use the funds to investigate the relationship between viruses and animal cancer. Others will study other aspects of the disease.

The grants include:

Missouri: University of Kansas City, $13,500; St. Louis university, St. Louis, $14,751; University of Missouri, Columbia, $2,000; Washington university, St. Louis, $11,060.

Slight Damage In Collision

Slight damage resulted in a collision of automobiles at Third street and Kentucky avenue Thursday afternoon at 2:05 o'clock between a 1946 Chrysler sedan driven by Leo W. Yoebel of Eureka, Ill., and Mrs. Albert Anderson of Hughesville, driving a 1947 Mercury.

Mrs. Anderson was pulling away from a parking meter when the accident occurred.

Fail to Block Marshall Plan

By Roger D. Greene

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) told the Senate Thursday a Moscow dictated conspiracy to torpedo the Marshall plan for European recovery has been "all but stopped in its tracks."

Pleading for extension of the multi-billion dollar aid program through another year, Vandenberg declared "current Moscow hysteria" toward the recovery program is clear proof of its success.

"It was fresh air in the lungs of liberty," Vandenberg cried dramatically. "It drove despair from the souls of men."

And now, he said, Moscow's fears are "being realized—and so are our hopes."

Senator Kem (R-Mo) and Jenner (R-Ind) objected that American funds are being used to finance Socialistic experiments in England and other nations.

Referring to Britain's Socialized medicine program, Jenner shouted, "they couldn't furnish toupees to the baldheaded gentlemen of England if we weren't suckers enough to sponsor such a damn fool program."

Reduce Steel Set Aside For "Essential" Users

WASHINGTON, March 25—(AP)—The Commerce Department announced Thursday the amount of steel set aside for "essential" users at government request will be reduced in June by 94,244 tons a month, a 17 percent cutback from the present allocations rate.

Couple Wanted For Questioning

Kathleen Birmingham, 17, and Milton Babich, 19, eat a meal in a Minneapolis, Minn., restaurant through the courtesy of police officers who picked them up. The couple is wanted in Milwaukee for questioning in connection with the slaying of Kathleen's 16-year-old sister whose weighted body was pulled from the Milwaukee river. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Novelty Piano Duo Wins in Talent Finds

Peggy Shull and Don Broaddus Took Second Place

"Twenty Fingers of Rhythm" novelty piano duo, won the Fox Talent Quest finals Thursday night and a trip to Springfield which may also lead to Hollywood. Louis Greife, 45 and Scott Sappington, 47, both of Windsor, who have been playing the piano together by ear since childhood won the applause of the audience which gave them first place.

Second place was won by Peggy Shull and Don Broaddus with a jitterbug act. The 'teen age Smith-Cotton high school pair are cousins and received gifts

Third place went to the Boggess Four, a quartet composed of two brothers and two sisters, Lavedia, Bobbie, Harvey and Udell, who also received gifts.

Present Acts Tonight

So great was the crowd to see the final Talent Quest show that more than one thousand persons were turned away, and Joe Ruddick, theatre manager is presenting the same thirteen acts again tonight so that those unable to get in the theatre Thursday night may still see the show.

Others who won outstanding applause to the degree that they were called upon the stage for a final decision of the judges were Ernest Mullberry, tenor and Dickie Phillips, novelty fiddle champion.

There were eight other acts all receiving a great deal of applause making the judging difficult. They were Carol Ann Turner, acrobatic. "The Collegiates" quartette from Central Missouri State college; Karl S. Brosing, Jr., baritone; Barbara Brown, vocalist; Billy Schwenck, and his accordion; Diane and Donnalyn Keim, from Eldon, "Thix Arcobatique." The Three Aces, Jerry Engle, Maxine Noel and "Rosy" Ellis, and Claude Boul, Jr., classical pianist.

Mr. Greife and Mr. Sappington will go to Springfield Monday night to appear on the regional talent quest.

Mrs. W. L. Monegan has been the accompanist for many of the acts throughout the entire contest.

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He lived at Herrin, Ill., where he started as a coal miner 40 years ago. Sneed was president of the Illinois district of the U. M. W. from 1932-35.

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Rankin Pension Bill Killed

One Vote Margin Shelves Measure In the House on Action Thursday

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—In a final jittery flip-flop ballot, the House today killed the Rankin veterans' pension bill—by a one vote margin.

Ironically, the death stroke was administered on the initiative of a World War II veteran.

President Truman told his news conference later he was exceedingly happy over the outcome. He called it a forward-looking action.

The sudden end to Rep. John E. Rankin's efforts to put across his multi-billion dollar measure climaxed three days of quarrelsome debate during which the House members changed their votes five times before shelving the bill.

On the showdown the tally was 208 to 207 to send the riddled legislation back to the veterans committee for "further study." That group, headed by the fiery Mississippi Democrat, possibly might try to redraft a veterans aid bill for later consideration, but Rankin, himself, indicated no such effort was in prospect.

"That kills this legislation for this Congress," he said.

When Rankin confidently brought his pension bill before the House Tuesday it was drafted to provide $90 a month for veterans of both world wars when they reached the age of 65, regardless of their financial needs.

Shattered By Amendments

But by the time the final rejection vote was tallied, the measure was so weighted with amendments that even its author could scarcely recognize it.

It was a combat veteran, Rep. Olin E. Teague, of College Station, Texas, who set off the legislative machinery to halt the Rankin bill.

The 39-year old Democrat, holder of 11 decorations, won election to the House in 1946 while a patient at the Army's Walter Reed hospital.

Teague moved to strike out the measure's enacting clause—that vital part of bill which would put it into effect if enacted.

That motion lost on a standing vote, 169 to 158.

But Teague demanded a teller vote, and when the members had marched down the aisles, the count was 171 to 166 in favor.

The Texan then asked the House to send the bill back to the committee.

This brought the most tense and confused moment of all as the law-makers made public their decision in a roll-call vote. Under similar circumstances two days earlier they had voted off the record to shelve the bill, then changed their minds on the roll-call test.

As the count was in progress, two Pennsylvania Democrats, Reps. Barrett and Granaham—changed their votes to side with the Rankin bill foes.

On the Associated Press score sheet these switches changed the unofficial total from 209 to 206 against to 208 to 207 in favor of the Teague motion. But the clerks erroneously reported the result as 209 to 208 against the motion.

Acting Speaker John McCormack (D-Mass) on his own initiative immediately ordered a recount.

The House fell silent as the clerks droned off the names of each member and how they had voted. It was so quiet the click of the automatic counting machines resounded through the chamber. When the last name had been called and the votes counted—with no changes—they added up to 208 to 207—in favor of Teague's motion to shelve the bill. There were 151 Democrats and 57 Republicans for it; opposed were 100 Democrats, 106 Republicans and one American Laborite.

Registration Books Are Open

The Board of Registrars opened the registration books from 8:00 o'clock in the morning until 8:00 o'clock at night, Thursday, today and Saturday in the police station of the city hall building, at which time those who have become entitled to register since the last days of registration, or have moved from one precinct or ward may do so.

This is a registration prior to the city election Tuesday, April 5, at which time eligible voters will elect five city councilmen, two school board members and a city attorney from their respective wards and precincts.

The board of registrars are: Mrs. Alice W. Crawford, first ward; Mrs. Ralph Smith second ward; Mrs. John S. Devine, third ward and Miss Trace Berry, 4th ward.

The Weather

Fair Friday and Saturday; diminishing winds and cooler Friday; a little warmer Saturday, highs Friday 55 to 62.

Make Grants for Cancer Research

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—Oscar R. Ewing, federal security administrator, today announced National Cancer Institute grants of $671,200 to finance laboratory and clinical research in cancer.

Several institutions will use the funds to investigate the relationship between viruses and animal cancer. Others will study other aspects of the disease.

The grants include:

Missouri: University of Kansas City, $13,500; St. Louis university, St. Louis, $14,751; University of Missouri, Columbia, $2,000; Washington university, St. Louis, $11,060.

Asst. Director MPES Speaker At Civic Club

Explains Savings Possible Under Hoover Group Plan

The opportunity to save taxpaying Americans more than 3 billion dollars is present in the recommendations of the nonpartisan Commission on Reorganization of the Federal Government, Lester B. Fisher, assistant director of Missouri Public Expenditures Survey told the Sedalia Kiwanis club Thursday. The speaker was introduced by Robt. Malone, program chairman.

Fisher declared that the three billion saving in federal government costs is the estimate of the commission itself and is made on the basis of preliminary reports of studies. This commission, which has been working toward attaining more efficient and more economical federal government for well over a year, has been popularly known as the "Hoover Commission" since the appointment of former president Herbert Hoover to the chairmanship of the commission.

The development and progress of the Hoover commission was related by Fisher from its creation by the Lodge-Brown act of 1947 to the present time when recommendations of the "task forces" of the commission are presenting their recommendations to Congress. Fisher said, "This is no simple going-over with a dust cloth. It is no re-shuffling of existing agencies, duties and powers. The commission had and has full authority to dig deep into facts and figures, to explore functions and performances, to ask questions and submit detailed recommendations.

Provisions

Specifically, the Lodge-Brown Act provides the commission with five channels of activities in its recommendations for government reorganization.

(1) Limiting expenditures to the lowest amount consistent with the efficient performance of essential services, activities and functions;

(2) Eliminating duplication and over-lapping of services, activities and functions;

(3) Consolidating services, activities and functions of a similar nature;

(4) Abolishing services, activities and functions not necessary to the efficient conduct of government, and

(5) Defining and limiting executive functions, services and activities.

Emphasizes Need For Support

In emphasizing the necessity for citizen support of the recommendations of the Hoover commission, Fisher declared that the tremendous growth of the federal government in past years makes it essential that every American citizen scrutinize carefully every attempt at federal expansion on its own level or into the local government field. He pointed out that innumerable services that were once considered as proper spheres of activity for private capital are now being promoted as proper functions of government.

Fisher said, "Whatever the ex-

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Reduce Steel Set Aside For "Essential" Users

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The Commerce Department announced today that the amount of steel set aside for "essential" users at government request will be reduced in June by 94,244 tons a month, a 17 percent cutback from the present allocations rate.

Burns To Death Firing Field

TIPTON, Mo., March 24—(AP)—Cyrus Delmar Ferguson, 58, burned to death yesterday while firing a field on his farm near here.

A brother-in-law found the body. Dr. Kenyon Latham of California, Mo., coroner, called the death accidental.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Hazel Jamison of Smithton.

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Paul Repper of Otterville, and Mrs. George Ficken of Cole Camp.

Dismissed: Philip L. Harrison of Otterville, Marvin Hanigan, 505 East Fourth street, and Mrs. Roy Harms and son of Route 1, Cole Camp.

Admitted for medical treatment: Mrs. Carl Meyer, of Warsaw, and Mrs. W. E. Dalby, 2000 East Fourteenth street.

Admitted for medical treatment: Ruth Delta Ross, State Fair boulevard and Broadway.

Dismissed: Mrs. S. A. Maxey, La Monte; Mrs. Kenneth Emig and son, Route 2, Knob Noster and Wiley Walter, 311 East Boonville street.

Thousands of Spies Operate In the U. S.

Secrets of Atom Bomb Seem to be Chief Objective

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The House un-American activities committee said today that "thousands of Russian agents" and more thousands of Americans are spying in the United States right now.

It said some of the spies "may" be attached to the Russian embassies or the United Nations.

And in a time of national crisis, the committee said, "the United States would have nearly 825,000 persons who are either spies, traitors or saboteurs working against us from within."

The statements were made in a pamphlet titled "spotlight on spies." Its publication was only one of several developments of the day bearing on U. S. relations with the Soviet world and the committee's own proceedings.

Precedes "Peace" Parley

Others included:

1. The state department made public a report declaring that "the Soviet government fears a free interchange of ideas" with the west because 30 years of Communism have failed to give the Soviet people a living standard even approximating that of Americans. The report was timed for the opening of the three day "world peace" conference in New York which the state department has predicted will be a sounding board for Communist propaganda.

2. The number of Soviet bloc delegates to the "peace" conference was cut from 21 to 19 when visas were denied two Romanians. The entry permits were denied because the Romanian government refused to send the delegates as officials rather than as private individuals.

3. Steve Nelson, western Pennsylvania Communist organizer, was served at Pittsburgh with a subpoena for his appearance at an un-American activities committee hearing here tentatively scheduled for April 18. Earlier, a committee member said that Nelson couldn't be located in his usual haunts. But Nelson accepted the subpoena at his office and expressed surprise that subpoena servers had not been able to find him. The committee wants to question him about the American Slav Congress.

Based On Hoover Figures

The House committee's estimate that there are 825,000 potential spies, traitors or saboteurs in the United States was based on some old figures of FBI director J. Edgar Hoover—74,000 Communist party members and Communist claims that for every member "there are 10 others ready, willing and able to do the party work."

What the current crop of spies wants most, the committee said, are "production secrets of the atom bomb." It said it knows some of the secrets have been stolen, but not how much of the bomb formula.

The committee mentioned no names of suspects in its pamphlet, which is mainly in question and answer form.

The committee said it has uncovered recent secret orders from abroad, to spy leaders here, listing 20-odd classes of information that is wanted on America's armed strength.

It said it knows of cases in which Russian agents or Americans working with them have made off with secrets on aviation, submarines, and industrial processes.

Because we let our Russian allies inspect this country and its defense industries during the war, the committee said, the Soviets have been able to print "a thick book which can easily be used as a handbook for bombing and sabotage against the United States."

The committee said it has "confessions to prove" that treasonable Americans are the actual thieves for Red spy networks in this country. But it said Communists trained in espionage actually direct the work.

Funds Included For Building Dam

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The civil functions appropriation bill now before the House contains $125,000 for further planning of the Table Rock dam and reservoir and $8,000 for plans for the Carthage project, both in Missouri.

Rep. Short (R-Mo) told a reporter that the amounts are not earmarked in the bill but committee members said they are included in a lump sum for project planning.

A delegation from the Springfield, Mo., area, including Short, had appeared before an appropriations subcommittee and asked money to start actual construction of the project this year.

Short said the committee allowed nothing for new construction.

"I guess we were lucky to get the $125,000 for Table Rock and $8,000 for Carthage," he said. "Those were the amounts recommended to the committee by the budget for use on the project next fiscal year."

Marriage License Issued

James Allen Cornwall, Holland, N. Y., and Ruth Janice McMurdo, Sedalia.

Teen-Age Club Will Reopen Saturday Night

The Teen-Town club, on the west side of the first floor of the city hall, will reopen with a "free gate" Saturday night for all teen-agers. The featured entertainment of the evening will be square dancing.

Miss Rosalie Mountjoy will be in charge as supervisor.

Report Cost of Living Lower

Decline for the Fifth Month in a Row Figures Show

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The cost of living has dropped for the fifth month in a row, and virtually all of the increase that occurred in 1948 has now been wiped out, government figures showed today.

The Bureau of Labor statistics reported that its consumers' price index declined 1.1 per cent between Jan. 15 and Feb. 15. This fifth consecutive drop brought the index down to a point where it was only 0.9 per cent higher than a year ago.

The index figure on Feb. 15 was 169 per cent of the 1935-39 average. It was 27 per cent above June 1946, when OPA controls were abandoned, and 71 per cent higher than the pre-war level of August 1939.

The substantial cuts in food prices between January and February sent the index on that class of items down 2.5 per cent.

There were smaller declines for clothing and house furnishings. As a result of the three the index, which represents the retail prices of goods and services bought by moderate income families in large cities, took one of its deepest descents for one month since the war.

The food index on Feb. 15 was 199.7 per cent of the 1935-39 average, 8 per cent below the July 1948 peak. It was 2½ per cent lower than a year ago and 37 per cent above the June 1946 level.

Eggs And Fats Drop

Food prices dropped in all 56 cities surveyed. Some foods, like eggs, fats and oils and dairy products, hit the lowest marks in a year and a half or more.

The latest index figure has no immediate bearing on the widely publicized General Motors contract with the CIO United Auto Workers. The wage rates of General Motors employes go up or down with the cost of living index, but the change occurs only one in three months. The workers lost two cents an hour because of the drop which was announced last month.

Should the cost of living continue to decline at the rate recorded between January 15 and February 15, the GM employes might lose the entire three cent wage increase due them May 29 for increased production standards of the past 12 months. The next change in GM rates will become effective about June 1.

The index of apparel prices declined 0.7 per cent in the Feb. 15 summary. Continued price drops for many articles of cotton, including work clothing, reflected the general cotton market trend.

Further slashes were noted in price of women's nylon hose, rayon house dresses and slips. Prices of men's and women's wool suits were higher in a few cities.

House furnishings averaged 0.5 per cent lower than a month ago. Furniture sales were featured in February all over the country, the Bureau of Labor statistics said. The bureau felt that reflected plentiful supplies and consumer resistance.

Residential rents advanced 0.2 per cent from mid-January to mid February and 0.9 per cent for the three months ending Feb. 15. Advances were reported in all 12 cities surveyed in November and February, ranging from 0.2 per cent in Washington to 1.5 per cent in Atlanta.

In the miscellaneous items there was not much change, although automobiles were higher and laundry and toilet soap lower.

Blizzard in Idaho

ALBION, Idaho, March 24—(AP)—A blizzard as bad as any during the winter isolated this southern Idaho town today. Drifts three to four feet deep blocked the road from Albion to Declo.

Ship Blasted by A Water Mine

BULLETIN

HONG KONG, Friday, March 25—(AP)—The ship, Miss Orient, carrying 500 passengers, was blasted by a big water mine today on her way from Canton to Hong Kong.

The number of casualties was undetermined.

Ship owners reported they had received threatening letters demanding money.

A customers cruiser and other river boats were standing by to take off passengers.

The ship was blasted in Eliot passage.

(Available detailed maps of the area show no passage by that name. There are numerous passages on the waterway that winds 90 miles or so northwestward from Hong to Canton.)

More Threats Are Reported

Made in Gambling Issue Prosecutor Been Informed

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 24—(AP)—Additional threats were reported today in what appeared to be a struggle for control of gambling in Buchanan county.

One of the threats was reported by Prosecutor O. R. Newcomer. He said one of his clerks, Louis Jacobs, had been told by an anonymous telephone caller to "lay off" law enforcement activities.

Another was received by an unidentified music box operator. Chief of Police J. Cory Keller, who declined to disclose the man's name, said the operator was threatened with death unless he removed his music machines from rural Buchanan county taverns.

The two threats followed one received yesterday by Mrs. Fannie Curry and her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Moore. They operated the Red Clock tavern, two miles east of the city, which burned down with a $75,000 loss.

Mrs. Moore said the caller told her: "You thought you were treated rough before. Well, it'll be worse next time."

Mrs. Curry said the tavern burned after she had declined the offer of a man to "rent" her a music box and in turn receive slot machine privileges when the time came.

Believes Fire Incendiary

The woman operator expressed the belief the fire was incendiary. Today Prosecutor Newcomer said he, too, believed the fire was set, but declined to give his reasons.

The threats of the past 24 hours here were the first reported in several months.

Last December after the St. Joseph News-Press published an article rumors that gamblers were planning to open up, editor Arthur V. Burrowes received a telephone call. The caller threatened to use "a pineapple" against his house unless his newspapers quit calling attention "to that gambling stuff."

Earlier this week Prosecutor Newcomer ordered slot machines removed from private clubs. He also ordered an end to all gambling in the city as well as the county, explaining that he considered the city without a police board. Three members of the board have submitted their resignations, but no action on them has been taken by Gov. Forrest Smith.

Retail Merchants To Meet Next Thursday

The Retail Merchants Committee will have a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce office at 10:00 o'clock Thursday morning, March 31, at 10:00 o'clock.

In addition to the regular business meeting a report of the parking committee will be made and also a report for the Forty-Niners committee.

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Laurence Oliver Gets the Academy Award on 'Hamlet'

HOLLYWOOD, March 24—(AP) Laurence Oliver won the academy award tonight for the best male acting performance of 1948 for his role of "Hamlet" in the J. Arthur Rank British production.

Jane Wyman won the best actress award for her deaf mute part in "Johnny Belinda."

John Huston was named the best director for "The Treasure of Sierra Madre."

Oliver was not present to receive his award. Miss Wyman declared: "I accept this award very gratefully for keeping my mouth shut once. I think I'll do it again."

"Hamlet," which won several minor awards, also was adjudged the best picture of the year.

The veteran Walter Huston won the Oscar for the best male supporting performance of the year in "The Treasure of Sierra Madre", directed by his son, John. He played a grizzled gold prospector, pal of Humphrey Bogart and Tim Holt.

Claire Trevor, another veteran, won the best supporting actress award for her trampish role as Edward G. Robinson's girl friend in "Key Largo."

Adolph Zukor, a pioneer in movies, won a special award for his service to the industry over 40 years. Sid Grauman, called a "master showman who raised the standards of motion pictures" in the presentation speech by academy president Jean Hersholt, won another special award. Said the white-haired Grauman: "When I have my 35th (sic) birthday, I'll look back and say they didn't forget me."

Producer Walter Wanger won a special trophy "for distinctive service adding stature to the industry for his picture, Joan of Arc." Wanger said "I can accept this only in the name of my partners, "Miss Ingrid Bergman and Victor Fleming."

Gunmen Slay Manager of a Country Club

W. C. Rimann Shot Down at Kansas City on Thursday

KANSAS CITY, March 24—(AP)—Two gunmen today killed a prominent country club manager and tavern owner in what officials said was a carefully-planned murder.

Wolf C. Rimann, 43, manager of the Hillcrest Country Club, was cut down by five bullets as he started to enter his motor car in a downtown industrial district.

Police said an earlier attempt on Rimann's life failed when his car was forced into a filling station entrance Monday night.

The golf club manager owned interests in several taverns. He was a steadily growing operator in music box machines and shuffleboard equipment, and recently entered the wholesale liquor business.

As a special deputy sheriff, Rimann sometimes carried a gun, acquaintances said. But he was unarmed at the time of the slaying and no weapons was found in his car.

Witnesses said Rimann had left a furniture company office and was stepping into his car when a black car pulled alongside.

Two men carrying pistols jumped out and poured five bullets into the victim's body, then leaped back into the black car, driven by a third man, and sped away.

Killers' Car Found Empty

Five witnesses gave police the license number of the killers' car, and it was found shortly afterward about 34 blocks away, empty.

Gun Case Empty

Police said they found a secret button in the ash tray of the car. The button was connected to a large siren. In a secret compartment behind the back seat was a large metal gun case. It was empty.

The license number was traced to an address which police said was a bartenders' union, but officers found no trace of the license owner.

Henry H. Fox, Jr., prosecuting attorney, said the slaying bore evidence of being carefully planned. An earlier report of a robbery motive was largely discredited by officers.

A friend of Rimann's, Marty Graham, told police Rimann had drawn between $20,000 and $25,000 from a bank earlier today. He said Rimann had expected to complete a deal for the purchase of a Twelfth street tavern.

However, police said an investigation showed Rimann only deposited a $2,500 check to his account in his visit to the bank today.

Police said only $183 was found on Rimann's body.

A. J. Stephens, manager of the furniture company, said Rimann had brought in a chair to be repaired, and appeared to be in good spirits.

"I walked with him to the top of the stairs," Stephens said "then came back to my office x x x we heard four shots."

Stephens' secretary, Mrs. Lottie Galloway, standing by the window, gasped:

"My God, they're shooting."

"I saw Wolf fall forward into his car," Stephens said, "and then one of the gunmen fired at him again. Then the two ran and jumped in the black car."

Knew Of No Threats

Sheriff J. A. Purdome, a close friend of the victim, said he knew of no threats on Rimann's life. The sheriff said he believed Rimann would have told him if there were.

Rimann was born in Waterloo, Ia., but lived here most of his life. He had been identified with golf here for 29 years. Before he became manager of the Country Club he was a golf pro and at one time was known as the youngest pro in Kansas City.

He was married and had one son, Rex, 20, a Junior College student.

Rex said he had started making a round of collections from his father's juke boxes after school today when he heard of the shooting.

Fail to Block Marshall Plan

By Roger D. Greene

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) told the Senate today a Moscow-dictated conspiracy to torpedo the Marshall plan for European recovery has been "all but stopped in its tracks."

Pleading for extension of the multi-billion dollar aid program through another year, Vandenberg declared "current Moscow hysteria" toward the recovery program is clear proof of its success.

"It was fresh air in the lungs of liberty," Vandenberg cried dramatically. "It drove despair from the souls of men."

And now, he said, Moscow's fears are "being realized—and so are our hopes."

Senator Kem (R-Mo) and Jenner (R-Ind) objected that American funds are being used to finance Socialistic experiments in England and other nations.

Referring to Britain's Socialized medicine program, Jenner shouted, "they couldn't furnish toupees to the baldheaded gentlemen of England if we weren't suckers enough to sponsor such a damn fool program."

Is Still Backing Wallgren

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—President Truman said today he still is backing former Gov. Mon C. Wallgren of Washington for chairman of the National Security Resources Board.

He told news conference questioners that he has never been known to back down on people he appoints for office.

Wallgren's nomination recently was tabled by the Senate armed services committee.

Mr. Truman was asked about what one newsman said was a report one of the Republicans on the committee might change his mind. The President said he had not heard that.

By "tabling" the nomination, the committee in effect rejected it for an indefinite period.

Atty. General May be Called In Howell Case

If Any State Money Is Involved in Alleged Shortage

JEFFERSON CITY, March 24—(AP)—Gov. Forrest Smith said today he would ask the attorney general to step in if a Howell county treasury shortage involves any state funds.

"So far as I can find out there was no state money involved. It was all school and local money," the governor said.

"But if there is any state money involved I intend to ask the attorney general to step in."

The governor said he had received a letter from a West Plains man saying it was "whispered around" that former treasurer Paul McGoldrick would not be prosecuted if a reported $15,250 shortage is made good.

McGoldrick, a Republican, resigned and yesterday the governor appointed Carol O. Johnson, a Democrat, to replace him.

Informant Not Named

Smith declined to name his informant. He called him "a very influential man—a business man there in town."

"He was protesting about it," the governor added. "He more or less asked me to do something about it."

Smith said he plans to let local officials handle the situation unless state funds are discovered to be missing. A complete report on the audit is to be given the Howell county court Monday, State Auditor W. H. Holmes reported.

At West Plains, Howell County Prosecutor Esco V. Kell said a full investigation into the missing funds in the county treasurer's office is under way.

Prosecutor Took Exception

The prosecutor took exception to a statement by Governor Smith, in which he said he understood the former treasurer would not be prosecuted if the shortage is repaid.

"I certainly did not make any such promise," Kell said. "If evidence of a criminal violation is found, we naturally will prosecute."

McGoldrick has been given until May 2 by the county court to make up the shortage.

Arkansas Co-ed Was Abducted

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., March 24—(AP)—A puzzling abduction and injury of a co-ed had the University of Arkansas campus in a dither tonight. Police are investigating the incident.

The young woman, identified by the university publicity department as attractive Jo Clare Thomas, 23-year-old senior from Clarendon, reported she was abducted last night by two men, struck on the head with a soft drink bottle and released after being held prisoner for several hours. She apparently was not injured seriously.

At a meeting of representatives of organized houses for women students today, the dean of women instructed all co-eds not to go about alone after dark. University officials were disclosed to be considering adding additional night watchmen to the staff and installing more lights about the campus.

Miss Thomas, who was active in States Rights Democrats activities last fall, is in the University infirmary, suffering from bruises on the head and shock.

The university statement quoted her as saying that she apparently was a victim of mistaken identity.

Police Chief Pearl Watts declined comment other than that his department is conducting an inquiry.

Miss Thomas was active in sponsoring the appearance here last year of Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, presidential nominee of the States Rights Democrats.

Lewis Orders Miners Back to Work Monday

PITTSBURGH, March 24—(AP)—John L. Lewis today ordered his 463,000 idle coal miners to return to work Monday.

An executive order to district officers said:

"The present memorial period will terminate Monday, March 28. Production may then be resumed in all mines and all members should make themselves available for work on that date."

Another Shakeup By Soviets

Vasilevsky is Made Minister Of Armed Forces Of the Russians

LONDON, March 24—(AP)—The Moscow radio announced tonight Marshall Nikolai A. Bulganin has been relieved as minister of the armed forces of the Soviet Union.

He has been succeeded by Marshal Alexander M. Vasilevsky, the broadcast said.

Belganin is also a vice chairman of the Council of Ministers of the Soviet Union, and presumably will retain that job As such he is a deputy prime minister.

Vasilevsky has been Bulganin's chief deputy minister of the armed forces of the Soviet Union. He succeeds his chief in the new post.

Vasilevsky had been relieved of his duties as chief of the general staff of the Russian army last November, but was retained as deputy minister of the armed forces.

Throughout the war Prime Minister Stalin was minister of the armed forces. He gave up that job in March, 1947, and Bulganin was appointed to take his place. Vasilevsky has been deputy minister of the armed forces since the same year.

Forced To The Top

Marshal Vasilevsky, regarded as a protege of Prime Minister Stalin, is a member of a group of young Russian officers who forged to the top in the hard school of the last war.

His swift rise is due in part to his work at the Russian Stalingrad and Voronezh fronts. Vasilevsky rose four ranks between 1941 and 1945—from major general, the lowest general rank in the Red army, to marshall.

He was commander of the third White Russian army which cleaned up the German pocket in East Prussia as the Russians moved on Berlin.

At the same time he was, during the critical period of the war, one of the six or seven members of Stalin's supreme command which mapped overall strategy.

In the first world war he was drafted for military service in the Czar's army, serving in a Cossack regiment. His career since the Russian revolution is similar to that of many other military leaders.

Bulganin began his career as a banker. He served as chairman of the state bank of the U. S. S. R., and then became prominent in military affairs when he was appointed a member of the military council during the defense of Moscow in 1941.

In the role of minister of the armed forces, he exercised supervision over millions of men and rubles.

He first came into prominence politically when he succeeded Daniel Soulimoff as premier of the Russian Socialist Federated Soviet Republic in 1937.

In March, 1947, Bulganin became a vice-chairman of the council of ministers — deputy prime minister; the same month he became minister of the armed forces, and he was promoted from general to marshall in November, 1947.

Truman Work Dawn to Dusk

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—President Truman today swept his April calendar clear of all out-of-town engagements and announced a daylight-to-dark work schedule, apparently aimed mainly at getting his legislative program through Congress.

With much of that program facing an uncertain fate on capitol hill, the President disclosed at a news conference that he will be seeing many legislators in the days ahead. He also will be busy, he said, clearing up business accumulated during his Florida vacation.

The President cancelled the last two of four speeches he had set for April. Those called off today were to have been made April 10 and 23 at the United Nations cornerstone laying and at a dinner honoring Dr. Chaim Weizmann, president of Israel, both in New York.

On hearing of the President's decision, U. N. officials at Lake Success postponed the cornerstone laying indefinitely.

Previous presidential speeches called off were those set for April 1 at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology mid-century convocation and April 26 at Boston college.

Mr. Truman told his news conference today that the House had taken a constructive, forward-looking step in recommitting the veterans' pension bill.

Woodland Hospital Notes

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. James Cook, 515 North Prospect avenue and Mrs. John Standard, 1611 South Lamine avenue.

Dismissed: Mrs. Lacy Odneal, Bunceton.

GOP Select Ticket At Convention

Pass Resolution Recommending Congress Select SAAF For Academy

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

City Councilmen

First Ward
Leroy H. Hodges

Second Ward
Richard Keenan

Third Ward
Truman J. McMillen
(Short term)
Sherman H. Meyer

Fourth Ward
Harry Spillers

City Attorney
No candidate nominated

Member of School Board
J. Roy Fullerton

The Republican city convention elected candidates to run for office in the city election, April 5, to fill vacancies which expire this spring at their meeting in the Assembly Room of the court house, Saturday night.

Carl G. Schrader called the meeting to order, and was unanimously elected as chairman, and H. M. Young as secretary, read the roll call of delegates.

The chairman appointed the following committees: Members of the committee on Credentials were T. H. Yount, John Hughes, Glenn Knell, Guy Peabody.

Members of the committee on organization and order of business were: W. D. Smith, Mrs. Fredonia Kingsbury, L. L. Studer, Carl Urban. The Resolutions committee was: Miss Hazel Palmer, chairman, Paul Hausam, and Richard Keenan.

The delegates adjourned to their respective ward caucuses, and when they returned a report on credentials was given by T. H. Yount.

Nominations

The chairman then directed that the body make ratifications and presentation of candidates from each ward. L. H. Hodges, 1503 West Third street, was presented for ratification as candidate for councilman from the First ward by L. L. Studer.

Richard Keenan, 1413 East Fourth street, was nominated and accepted for councilman from the Second ward to succeed himself by Guy Brownfield.

Carl Urban, by unanimous vote of the Third ward, nominated Truman J. McMillin, 802 East Ninth street, for short term for councilman from the Third ward, and Urban presented for ratification as candidate for councilman for a long term from the Third ward, Sherman H. Meyer, 2003 East Broadway.

For Fourth ward councilman, Chester Wolfe, presented Harry Spillers, 1507 South Barrett avenue, for ratification.

Members of the city committee for each precinct were then selected for one year. They were: First ward: Amos Schroder, Mrs. Larry Siebert; second precinct, T. H. Yount, Mrs. Fred Rose; third precinct; J. T. Ferrell, and Mrs. Opal C. Valentine.

Second ward: Dick Keenan, Mrs. H. D. Malone, second precinct; Mrs. George Ray, and Mrs. Wilma Johnson; third precinct, Glenn Knell, Mrs. Vernie Engholm.

Third ward: Carl Urban, Mrs. Herman Berger; second precinct; H. M. Young, Mrs. Jess Tuggle, third precinct; none elected; fourth precinct, Oliver Garrett, Mrs. F. M. Hatfield; fifth precinct, A. E. Brockman, Mrs. Earl Lugen.

Fourth ward: First precinct, A. L. Wilson, Mrs. George Wilson; second precinct, E. W. Schultz, Mrs. S. W. James; third precinct, Christine Landmann, Chester Wolfe; fourth precinct, Guy Peabody, and Mrs. E. L. Overmier; fifth precinct, Mrs. Carl J. Meyer and W. D. Smith.

No City Attorney Candidate

The convention did not elect a candidate for city attorney. Chester Wolfe was nominated, but declined. Mr. Wolfe said that he appreciated the delegates' confidence but for personal reasons, and private business, he said he could not run.

J. Roy Fullerton, 912 West Seventh street, was nominated for member of the school board to succeed himself. He was nominated by acclamation.

Endorse Air Field Site

A report of the Resolutions committee was given by Miss Hazel Palmer, chairman, submitted by Guy Brownfield, S. C. Hoffman, Paul Hausam and Miss Hazel Palmer, which endorsed the selection of the Sedalia Army Air Field as the site upon which an Air Academy of the United States shall be established.

Carl Urban made a motion that the party cancel out precinct meetings and go back to ward meetings. He said there were not enough people attending as it is now, and that ward meetings would develop a better organization. After several pros and cons were presented by approximately ten people, Mr. Urban withdrew his motion.

Following all the nominations and business matters, each of the elected candidates was introduced and spoke briefly in behalf of their candidacy.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Alson L. Cornelius and Polly Joan Farris, both of Sedalia.

Edgar Mitchell, Houstonia, and Oleta June Leggiero, Sedalia.

Talmadge Eugene Thomas, Otterville, and Betty Louise Beymer, Sedalia.

BIRTHS

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Enig, Route 2, Knob Noster, at 5:25 o'clock Saturday morning, at Bothwell hospital. Weight: Six pounds, 14 ounces.

Mrs. Herbert Seifert, Red Cross worker, is shown taking a layette to a home where a young mother, has two small children, one two and one-half years old, the other a year and a half old and a third expected in June. The Red Cross layette is complete for the new baby. (Photo by Glenn McVey).

Easter Seal Sale This Week

The 1949 Easter Seal sale, which starts in this county this week, will make it possible to carry forward service to crippled children which has been developed over a period of twenty-two years, Archer O'Reilly, Jr., president of the Missouri Society for Crippled Children and Adults, said in releasing the Society's twenty-second annual report.

An objective of $185,000 for the state-wide seal sale has been set.

Sixty-eight County Committees for Crippled Children reported individual services to 1146 crippled children and 275 adults during the past year: In the same period, county committees gave financial assistance to 742 children and 97 adults.

Among the direct services rendered by county societies is the purchase of equipment for schools, clinics and hospitals; providing for transportation for children going to hospitals or clinics; purchase of braces, wheel chairs, other appliances; sharing of costs of therapists in stations giving direct services to children.

"These county services are paid for by Easter Seal Funds," Mr. O'Reilly explained. "After expenses are paid sixty percent of money raised in the Easter Seal sale remains in the county in which it is raised and 40% supports the statewide services of the Missouri society, available to all counties."

The Rev. J. Fred King is chairman of the seal sale in Pettis county.

Legion Post 16 Had A Party

The American Legion Post 16, entertained at a party Friday night at the Legion home 114½ East Fifth street.

The occasion was to celebrate the 30th birthday of the American Legion. Mrs. William F. Brown spoke on "Americanism."

Miss Barbara Brown presented two vocal numbers, accompanied by Miss Wilma Schilb. Miss Barbara Dougherty gave a tap dance number.

Bill Schwenk played several accordian numbers and Miss Shirley Kirkpatrick played a violin solo "Irish Medley."

Mrs. George Chambers was in charge of the program. She presented Mrs. Harry Estill, seventh district president of the auxiliary. Mr. Estill and their daughter, of Fayette, accompanied Mrs. Estill. Mrs. Chambers also presented E. Glenn Lewis, commander of Post 16, who made a short talk, and thanked the auxiliary for the party. During the evening the officers of No. 16 lighted the candles on the birthday cake and made a wish for their organization.

Refreshments were served by the committee composed of Mrs. Homer Hall, Mrs. Tom Soter, Mrs. Dale Waite, Mrs. A. E. Duff, Mrs. F. B. Piper, was general chairman in charge of arrangements and was assisted by Mrs. L. V. Morris and Mrs. H. W. Meyers. There were about 125 members present.

Club Help To Polish Family

The Georgetown Homemakers club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. R. A. Malone, with Mrs. Emma Meier and Mrs. W. W. Dittmer, assisting hostesses. Visitors present were: Mrs. Cecil Owens, Mrs. Charles Plumlee, Mrs. H. Smiley, Mrs. R. D. Quigley, Mrs. Keith Bohon. At the noon hour a contributive dinner was served.

Mrs. J. P. Dunham, president, conducted the business meeting, which was opened by all singing, "A Song of Peace." Roll call was answered with a household hint. A letter of thanks to the club from a family in Poland was read by Mrs. A. Runge. The club will continue for another year to send packages to this family.

Members were asked to bring their donations to the April meeting. Mrs. Meier and Mrs. Malone gave out literature on home canning and talked on food demonstrations they had attended. The meeting was closed with the singing of, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling."

The club will meet on April 20 at the home of Mrs. W. D. Dunham.

Elwood Embry Dies in Wreck Near Columbia

M-Sgt. From Wis. Also Killed; Collision On Friday Night

Elwood Embry, 21, 800 East Fifth street, and Master Sergeant A. D. Muck, 38, Spring Valley, Wis., were killed and six other persons injured, none seriously, about 11:45 o'clock Friday night, in a motor car collision six miles west of Columbia on U. S. Highway 40.

Most seriously hurt among the passengers was Mrs. Muck who suffered a fractured arm, a fractured ankle and a severe head cut. The couple's son, Robert, aged eight, suffered leg injuries and bruises.

Riding in the car with Embry were Lloyd Holman, 20, route 5, Sedalia, Clay Blaylock, 20, and his brother, Jack Blaylock, 18, of Beaman and Virgil R. Creech, 19, Troy, Mo.

All were taken to the Boone county hospital in Columbia. Lloyd Holman has a broken left arm and bruises over his right eye. Clay Blaylock complained of an injury to his right ribs, has scratches on his face, and an injury to his left knee. Both returned to Sedalia Saturday afternoon.

Remained in Hospital

Jack Blaylock, still a patient in the hospital, has a gash over his right eye, both wrists sprained, and a small gash on the back of his head. Creech, who remained in the hospital, has a cut on his chin and his front teeth were knocked out.

Embry was driving a 1942 Dodge coupe. With him were the Blaylock brothers and Holman and they picked up Creech, a sailor, near the edge of Sedalia, and were driving him to his home in Troy. Most of the occupants of the car were asleep when the collision occurred.

The Muck family was enroute to Kansas City to visit relatives, from Camp Breckenridge, Ga., where Sgt. Muck was stationed.

An inquest into the accident was held Saturday morning by Dr. Harry Griffith, of Columbia, Boone county coroner.

Born in Beaman, Mo.

Leonard Elwood Embry was born near Beaman, Mo., October 12, 1927.

He has lived all of his life in the Beaman and Sedalia communities with the exception of the time he was in the army.

He was graduated from the Olive Branch School and attended the Smithton High school.

He was inducted into the army at Ft. Leavenworth April 16, 1946. He served nineteen months in the army, thirteen months in Tokyo and was honorably discharged September 30, 1947.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Embry, 800 East Fifth street; one half-brother, Ray Embry, Denver, Colo., who will arrive in Sedalia today; one half-sister, Mrs. Truman Embree, Las Crusas, New Mexico; his grandfather, E. R. Wood, Sedalia.

Funeral services will be held at the East Sedalia Baptist church at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

The Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church, will officiate.

Interment will be in the Salem Cemetery.

The body will be brought to Sedalia this morning and taken to the Ewing Funeral Home.

Divorce Cases In Circuit Court

Two divorces were granted in Circuit Court Saturday by Judge Dimmit Hoffman. A divorce to Edna Mae Duncan from Dr. Byron L. Duncan. The plaintiff alleged general indignities and received restoration of her maiden name Edna Mae Kirchhofer.

A divorce to Mildred Nicholson from Ralph Nicholson, and awarded $25 for the support of their minor child.

A divorce was filed by Barbara Hall from George Hall, in which petition was alleged general indignities.

The Halls were married August 25, 1923 and separated in October, 1939. Palmer and Palmer are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Action Taken At PTA Board On Proposals

Three Sedalians Attend Meeting in Jefferson City

The Board of Managers of the Missouri Congress of Parents and Teachers, at its mid-year meeting in Jefferson City Thursday and Friday, went on record as favoring a number of proposals concerning schools, now before the legislature; heard the announcement of the award of teacher education scholarships to seven prospective teachers in the elementary public schools of Missouri; and chose a nominating committee to submit nominations at the state convention, to be held in Joplin October 11-13.

Members of the Board of Managers from Sedalia who attended the meeting were Mrs. M. E. Green, chairman of juvenile protection; Mrs. Verney Engholm, president of the Sedalia District, and Mrs. Wilfred C. Lee, publicity chairman.

Approved Resolution

The board approved senate joint resolution number 3, which submits a constitutional amendment making possible the passing of levies for current school purposes by a majority vote; and also approved house joint and concurrent resolution number 3 doubling the bonding capacity of school districts for school building purposes.

Senate Bill 17, which makes it a crime to molest children on their way to and from school, was endorsed, in principle, as was a bill requiring traffic to stop on highways when meeting or passing school busses that are loading and unloading school children.

Scholarship Winners

The following persons have been chosen, on the basis of character and personality, scholarship record, aptitude for teaching, and sound health, to receive the four year teacher education scholarships: Frances Willis, North Kansas City, who plans to attend Missouri University; Mary C. Brookhart, Lewistown,, Betty Lynn Clark, Odessa, who plans to attend C.M.S.C. at Warrensburg; Jo Verna Bradford, Monett, who plans to attend S.T.C. at Springfield; and Glee Alice Cleveland, Flat River.

Miss Barbara Calder, Holt, and Mrs. Lillie M. Strain, Grant City, were chosen to receive short term teacher education scholarships for summer school. Other short term scholarships may be awarded later. Announcement of the awards was made by Mrs. True Davis, St. Joseph, chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Caroline B. Ullman Student Loan Fund, which grants the scholarships.

Nominating Committee

Members of the nominating committee, which will submit nominations at the state convention for president, first vice-president, second vice-president, and treasurer, were selected as follows: Dr. Jack Matthews, Columbia; Mrs. R. W. Gapford, Kansas City; Mrs. Charles S. Lechler, St. Joseph; Mrs. Albert H. Toma, St. Louis; and Mrs. M. A. Marvel, Poplar Bluff.

"Patterns for Living" was chosen as the theme for the convention.

Mrs. Otto Eisenstein of Warrensburg, president of the Missouri Congress, presided at the meeting, which was attended by thirty-eight officers, committee chairmen, and district president from all parts of the state.

Group of Senior High School Girls Have Dance

An informal dance in the Ambassador Room of Hotel Bothwell was given by a group of senior girls from Smith-Cotton high school between the hours of nine and twelve o'clock Saturday night.

The dance was attended by juniors and seniors from Smith-Cotton and the music was furnished by a juke box.

The students who gave the dance were Misses Sue Harris, Yvonne Bohon, Ethyle Starke, Jean Swegles, and Ella Dee Runge.

The chaperones for the dance were the parents of the hostesses.

Orchid Fresh For Three Years

A reminder of her happiness on her fiftieth wedding anniversary is a purple orchid still fresh after almost three years, which Mrs. Ida Alexander was given by her husband, A. A. Alexander, on the occasion.

Mrs. Alexander wore the orchid all day June 24, 1946, the anniversary. She then placed the orchid in a corsage box and placed it in the refrigerator at the Alexander home at 3423 Bellefontaine avenue, Kansas City.

Aside from a few brown spots about the edges, Mrs. Alexander finds the orchid still in good condition with her fifty-third anniversary only several months away. She has worn the flower, however, only the one time.

Mrs. Alexander was formerly Miss Ida Ferguson, of Houstonia, and the marriage over a half century ago to Mr. Alexander, also of that place was

Real Estate Transfers

George K. McFarland and Benjamin W. Haines and wife to Charles Riley, Jr., and Dorothy L. Riley, SWD 180 acres of land, more or less in Dresden Township—$1.00 and other consideration.

Nora E. Thompson to Lyman M. and Allie Dell Littlefield, WD property at soutnwest corner of Fourth street and Babcock avenue—$1.00 and other consideration.

Oscar D. Aldredge and wife to E. P. and Cora E. Harms, WD property on east side of Quincy avenue between Eleventh and Fourteenth street—$1.00 and other consideration.

Ione Dyer to Edmund Guier and Dorena Guier, husband and wife and their survivors and Charles W. Guier and Ida Ann Guier, husband and wife, and their survivor, WD 80 acres of land, more of less, in Blackwater Township—$1.00 and other consideration.

Tom E. Ware and wife to Ira M. White and Dorothy E. White, WD property in Crescent Hill Addition, south of Broadway and East of Emmett avenue — $1.00 and other consideration.

Kathryn Craig and husband to Mercel C. and Mildred F. Lamb, WD property on north side of Fifth street between Lafayette and railroads — $1.00 and other consideration.

Charles G. Richey and wife to James W. Richey, WD undivided one half interest in 110 acres of land, more ar less in Dresden Township—$1.00 and other consideration.

Laurence L. Ream and wife and Harold H. Ream and wife to R. T. and Rosa L. Mosley, WD property in the town of Green Ridg—$1.00 and other consideration.

Virgil D. Schumaker and wife to William M. and Mildred L. Rogers, WD property on south side of Niuth street between Summit and Engineer avenues—$1.00 and other consideration.

William R. Starr and wife to Paul S. and Bernice C. Ginn, WD property in Crescent Hill Addition, south of Broadway and east of Emmett avenue—$1.00 and other consideration.

E. A. Smith and wife to J. B. and Hattie E. Hutchison, WD 14 acres of land, more or less, in Sedalia Township—$1.00 and other consderation.

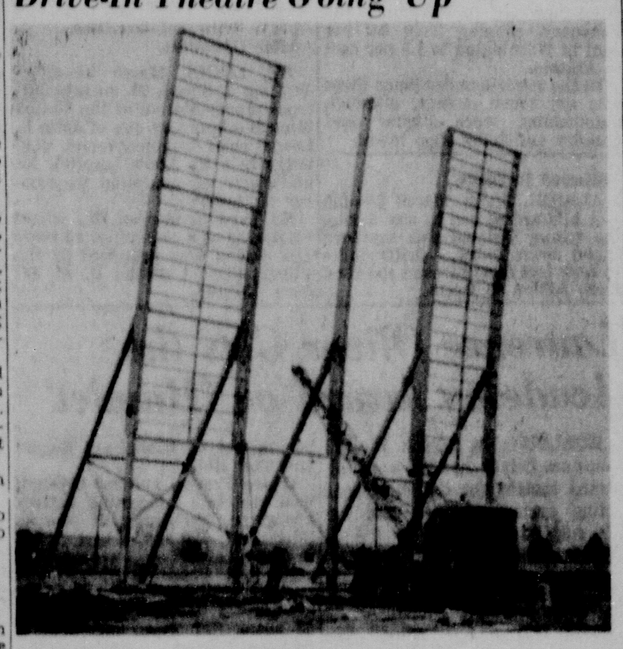
Paul S. Ginn and wife to Clifford J. and Dorothy L. Barr, WD property on west side of Barrett avenue, between Eighteenth and Twentieth streets—$1.00 and other consideration.

Laura V. Brown, Stella B. Smith and husband, Mary George and husband, Edna DeLavey and husband, Ruby Hutchins and husband, Alma Wilbur and husband, Laura Scott and husband, Helen Conley and husband and J. E. Brown and wife to J. L. and Lucy G. DeHaven, WD 80 acres of land, more or less, in Lake Creek Township—$1.00 an dother consideration.

Emmett L. Pullman and wife to Bird H. and Bertye Lee Campbell, WD property on north side of Broadway, between Arlington and Garfield avenues—$1.00 and other consideration.

Chris R. Bergman and wife to Kenneth W. and Geraldine Balke, WD property at southwest corner of Sixteenth street and Washington avenue—$1.00 and other consideration.

Drive-In Theatre Going Up



The highway fifty Drive-In Theater that is being erected on a 15-acre tract, west of town, at the apex of Main street road and highway 50, is nearing completion. The Hogan Construction company has been working during the cold weather and expects to have the theater completed by the latter part of April.

This new Drive-In Theater will be one of the more modern theaters in this part of the country. The screen tower is sixty-five feet high and will receive a projected screen image of forty by sixty feet. There are one hundred yards of concrete used in the screen base and is so constructed to withstand winds up to one hundred miles an hour.

Sound for the movies will reach the patrons by means of "in car speakers." Over nine thousand feet of cable are being used to connect these speakers that will service a five hundred car capacity audience.

Facilities for the convenience of the patrons will include a children's playground, refreshment booth and landscaped grounds.

This theater is being erected by the Sedalia Drive-In Theater Corporation.

Mayor Hands Statement to Minister

The Rev. C. Arthur Freeberg (left) pastor of the Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church and the Rev. D. Warren Neal, pastor of Broadway Presbyterian church, as a committee from the Ministerial Alliance, call on Mayor Julian H. Bagby (center) asking his cooperation in the nation-wide One Great Hour program. He is shown handing Rev. Freeberg the following statement: "I ask the people of Sedalia to listen to the 'One Great Hour' program to be broadcast between 9:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m., CST, Saturday, March 26th, and to cooperate in the movement to follow the next day, whereby churches of the nation are endeavoring to raise over ten million for world relief." Signed, "Julian H. Bagby."

Sweet Springs Won Tourney

The Sedalia Harvesters were outclassed in the Houstonia Double Elimination Tournament, Saturday night in the finals by Sweet Springs by a score of 56-45.

Sweet Springs took first, Sedalia, second, Hughesville, third, and Houstonia fourth. La Monte Merchants won over Green Ridge for consolation winners.

The Sweet Springs team took the lead and kept it nearly through the game. Sedalia was ahead only once and that was in the second quarter. The intermission score was 25-23 in favor of Sweet Springs.

Sedalia hit for nine points out of 18 for free throws and had 22 fouls called. Sweet Springs tallied 12 out of 22 shots, fouled eleven times during the game.

Gilmore with his deadly shooting of 25 points was the team member who gave Sedalia the most trouble. Mais hit 13 points for high point man for Sedalia. Other Sedalia members scoring were: Parker 10, Whitfield, 11, Dowdy 2, Riley 3, and Morris 4.

Schelp 10, Kueck 7, Crowder 3, Thomas 2, Kurtz 2, Stober 3, and Bohath with one point were the other scorers for Sweet Springs.

Out of Window After Car Upset

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Liebeck, and their two children of New Cambria, Mo., crawled through a rear window of their automobile, uninjured after the car dived off the pavement and flipped over on its top, Friday morning shortly before noon on highway 65, about 10 miles south of Sedalia.

The family was heading toward Sedalia in a 1947 Plymouth sedan. Mr. Liebeck told highway patrolmen that he hit a slick spot on the pavement of the highway, and that he lost control of the car, causing it to roll over into a ditch and landing top side down.

The wrecked car was towed to the Bryant Motor company, Second street and Kentucky avenue. The top and right side of the vehicle was repaired that afternoon, and the Liebeck family continued on their way.

Jane Boul Wins Spelling Bee

Jane Boul, daughter of Mr. and Mhs. C. L. Boul, of 620 West Third street, won first place in a spelling bee given as part of a program at Sacred Heart high school, Friday night. Margie Cavanaugh won second place honors, and Claude Boul, Jr., a brother of the winner, was third.

The first and second place girls, both sophomores, won over contestants from all four years of high school. Among those who remained standing longest were Mary Ann Kuhlman, Eileen Coffey and Tom Keating, Jr.

Also on the program were several musical numbers. The high school glee club sang "Sundown," and the band, with John Handley directing, played two numbers. Handley also played a trumpet solo, "Ain't Misbehavin'."

A choral reading, "Song of the Mystic," was presented by four freshman girls, and a skit, "Vocation Room," was presented by the girls speech class.

Loyal Rebekah Lodge Met Friday Afternoon

Loyal Rebekah Lodge No. 260 held the regular business meeting Friday at the Odd Fellow Hall.

The business meeting was held followed by the social hour during which time games were played and a violin solo given by Miss Shirley Kirkpatrick accompanied by Mrs. Frank Pieper.

Refreshments were served by the March committee: Mrs. Jesse Truman, Miss Margaret Starkey, Mrs. Virgil Tucker, Mrs. Mary Strickler, Mrs. Jack Meyer.

Mrs. C. H. Bard Will Filed

The will of Mrs. Anna M. Bard, widow of the late Charles H. Bard, who died last Wednesday, has been filed in Probate court by her niece, Mrs. Patsy Lamm Kahrs. Mrs. Kahrs was appointed executrix of the estate by Judge J. E. Smith.

The estate was left to her sister, Mrs. Edna Mertz Carman, Rochester, New York, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Lillie Bard Antwerp, Talladega, Florida, and nine nieces and nephews.

The will was made September 11, 1948.

Just Town Talk

A SEDALIA Woman
REACHED UP
IN HER Home
THE OTHER Day
TO KNOCK Down
A COBWEB
AS SHE Did So
SHE GLANCED At
THE TOP Of
THE CURTAINS
AND DECIDED
THEY WERE
SO DIRTY She'd
TAKE THEM Down
AND WASH Them
WHICH SHE Did
THEN THE Window
AND WOODWORK Around
WEREN'T CLEAN
ENOUGH FOR Those
CLEAN CURTAINS
SO THEY Had
TO BE Washed
AND THE Result Was
SHE SPENT The
WHOLE DAY
CLEANING THE Room
AND ALL Because
SHE STARTED
TO KNOCK Down
A COBWEB
I THANK YOU

Looking Backward

• Forty Years Ago

Republican candidates for aldermen were ratified Saturday night at a convention held at the court house as follows: First ward, J. M. Brown; Second ward, J. H. Sullivan; Third ward, A. L. Pringle and Fourth ward, A. W. McKenzie.

Lee Garvin, a former catcher for the Sedalia Goldbugs, will play with Shreveport, La., in the Southern league this season. He has been spending the winter at his home in Lee's Summit.

Sam Kingsbaker, a former Sedalian, now engaged in business in Kansas City, is here for a few days visit with friends and to look after business matters.

An organization styled the Sedalia Rod and Gun club has been formed, its purpose being to promote fishing parties and summer outings. The officers are George D. Riddle, president; James L. Van Wagner, treasurer; Edward Maddox, secretary and Earl McKenzie clerk.

Saturday evening officers of the Sedalia Country club for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Elliott M. Stafford, president; George K. Mackey, vice-president; Wm. Courtney, treasurer and Lee Montgomery secretary.

Sedalia Enters Basketball Meet

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 19—(AP) — Twenty two independent basketball teams from seven states will compete in the annual Independent Basketball Association of America opening here Monday.

Back to defend the title it won last year will be Conway, Mo., as well as Stover, Mo., the 1948 runner-up and champion in 1947. Another strong contender is Ozark, Mo., which finished as runner-up in the American Basketball Congress tournament at Atlanta, Ga., last week.

Laramie, Wyo., is seeded No. 1 for the meet which ends Saturday night, March 26.

Pairings:

Laramie, Wyo. vs. bye.
Springfield, Mo., Harlows vs. Camp Chaffee, Ark., 6 p. m. Monday.
Charleston, Ill., vs. bye.
Clever, Mo., vs. Pineville, Mo., 7:15 p. m. Monday.
Benton, Ky., vs. bye.
Sedalia, Mo., vs. bye.
Jonesboro, Ark., vs. bye.
Ozark, Mo., vs. Kennett, Mo., 8:30 p. m. Monday.
Stover, Mo., vs. bye.
Rolla, Mo., vs. St. Louis Shearer Chevrolet, 9:45 p. m., Monday.
Shelbyville, Ill., vs. bye.
Joplin, Mo., vs. bye.
Jackson, Mich., vs. bye.
Conway, Mo., vs. Kirksey, Ky., 8:30 p. m., Tuesday
Lindlan, Ohio, vs. bye.
Springfield, Mo., Pattons vs. Springfield, Mo., Lions, 6:00 p. m. Tuesday.

Scrap Cars

From 1942 through 1946, only 920,000 motor vehicles were scrapped annually in the United States as compared with 2,350,000 a year before the war.

Democrats Ratify And Nominate

Candidates for City Election to Be Held April 5; Seven to Elect

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

City Councilmen

First Ward
Pete R. Menefee

Second Ward
Walter A. Smethers

Third Ward
Emery L. Ellsworth
(Long Term)
Earl H. Lashley
(Short Term)

Fourth Ward
John Vandekamp

City Attorney
James E. Durley

Member of School Board
Palmer R. Nichols

The Democratic convention was held in the City Council chamber Saturday night at which time the delegates filled the Democratic ticket for the various city offices at stake in the City election on Tuesday, April 5. The entire representation from each ward was present, 100 delegates.

Candidates for the unexpired terms, two city offices, were ratified. William "Bill" Miller of the Third ward delegation took the floor and placed the name of Earl Lashley before the convention for the short term for City Councilman of that ward.

The short term office was due to the resignation of Dr. George W. Peak, who resigned last fall when he left the city.

Frank W. Hayes of the Fourth ward delegation then nominated James E. Durley as the Democratic candidate for city attorney. His name was likewise ratified without opposition.

The vacancy in the office of city attorney resulted from the election of William F. Brown to the office of prosecuting attorney. It was necessary for him to resign the first of the year when he took the new office to which he was elected.

School Board Nominee

Palmer R. Nichols was placed before the convention as the Democratic member of the Sedalia Board of Education. Nichols was nominated by G. O. "Dutch" Hawley, and he was likewise ratified without opposition. If elected he will succeed himself.

In the First ward, S. J. Timborious placed the name of Pete R. Menefee before the convention, for City Councilman.

Second ward, the name of Walter A. Smethers, a former member of the City Council, was placed before the convention by Dewey Guinn.

Third ward, Mr. Miller presented the name of Emery L. Ellsworth before the convention as the councilman candidate for the long or two-year term.

Fourth ward, Henry C. Salveter placed before the convention the name of John Vandekamp as that ward's Councilman candidate.

Following the ratification and nominations of candidates, short talks were made by a number of those present.

The meeting was presided over by D. Kelly Scruton, City Chairman. Miss Alice Scott was secretary of the meeting.

Committeemen and women, it was announced, are to report their selection of judges to Miss Scott today, so the City Council can pass on the selections at the regular meeting of the council Monday night.

Club Meets At McCune Home

The Manila Extension club met at the home of William McCune, Mrs. L. C. Higbee, Spring Fork, as assistant hostess. Roll cal was answered with, "What I can do to help my club," by 23 members.

Mrs. Paul Shipps led the devotional. It was voted that $2.00 be used for Easter Seals, Red Cross, and the Cancer Fund.

The clothing leaders, Mrs. Max Elliott, and Mrs. Hammond gave a demonstration on remodeling clothing. At the April meeting each member is to model her own home-made Easter bonnett.

The next meeting will be held April 20th at the home of Mrs. was answered with amusing "Garden Riddles." It was voted to give a check to the Rural Youth Exchange Program. Plans for a pie supper in April were discussed. Nomah Dean Snow gave the council report, and there was a short discussion. The meeting was then adjourned, and everyone enjoyed singing. Refreshments of cup cakes and green and white ice cream were served on St. Patrick's Day plates with matching napkins.

Methodist Youth Fellowship Meeting

A group of young people of the Methodist Youth Fellowship from Kansas City came to Sedalia Friday evening and held a vesper service that night and a meeting Saturday morning at the First Methodist church. They were: Susan Guthrie, Glenn Benson, Jeraldine Hill, Earlyne Hanna, Jim Lawson and Tom Scahill.

A contributed dinner was held at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening followed by songs, games and work of the Youth Fellowship. The meeting ended with a worship service. The Saturday morning program was devoted to Youth Fellowship work.

The dinner was attended by 120 Methodist young people from the three churches in Sedalia, and churches in Pettis county, Stover and Versailles.

Marriages, Society, Club Activities In And Around Sedalia

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jenkins, 915 East Eleventh street, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Helen Marie, to Mr. Chester Chalfant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chalfant, of Knob Noster. The marriage will take place May 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Langdon, of 1508 East Tenth street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Frances, to Mr. Charles L. Iserhardt, of Washington, D. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Iserhardt, of Lakeland, Fla., which took place March 11 in the study of the First Baptist church in Washington, D. C.

Several friends were present for the ceremony.

Miss Marian Hester Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Jones and the late Mrs. Jones, of La Monte, and Mr. Kenneth Glazebrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Glazebrook, of Knob Noster, were married at the home of the bride, Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The bridal party stood in front of the attractively decorated fireplace and the single ring ceremony was read by the Rev. James D. Sill, of Warrensburg, in the presence of the immediate families.

The bride's choice for her wedding was a navy gaberdine suit with navy and white accessories. Her corsage was an orchid.

Miss Marjorie Glazebrook, sister of the bridegroom, was the bride's only attendant and wore a beige suit with brown accessories. Her corsage was yellow roses.

Mr. Glazebrook was attended by Mr. Eldon E. Jones, brother of the bride.

A reception followed the ceremony. A three-tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom, centered the dining table, which was covered with a handmade cloth, crocheted by the bride's mother, from which refreshments were served. The cake was flanked with tall white tapers.

The couple left immediately for a short wedding trip and will be at home in Lee's Summit, where the bridegroom is employed.

In an impressive double ring ceremony, Miss Frances Parks, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Parks, 308 North Prospect avenue, and Robert Goldsmith, son of Mrs. L. B. Corson, 1009 South Vermont avenue, were married at 2:00 o'clock on Sunday, March 6, by the Rev. Thomas W. Croxton at his home, 511 West Broadway, with only the immediate families attending.

The ceremony took place in front of the mantel, decorated with white flowers and lighted tapers.

The pianist, Mrs. Thomas W. Croxton, played "Oh Promise Me" and "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life" while Miss Wilma Parks, sister of the bride, lighted the tapers. As the bride entered, she played the wedding march and continued playing softly throughout the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, W. L. Parks, wore a light blue suit with navy blue accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses.

The bride's only attendant, Mrs. Clayton Young, wore a pink gabardine suit with navy accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

William R. Lyles, a friend of the bridegroom, served as best man.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, with approximately 70 relatives and friends attending. A four-tiered wedding cake formed the center piece and spring flowers were used throughout the home.

Mrs. Earl Wood, of Appleton City, the bride's aunt, served the cake while Mrs. Howard Taylor of Kansas City and Mrs. Kenneth Chastain, of Sedalia, also aunts of the bride, presided at the punch bowl.

The young couple left immediately for a short wedding trip, after which they will reside at 1411 South Kentucky avenue. The bride, a graduate of Smith Cotton high school, will resume her duties at the Town and Country Shoe Factory, where she has been employed for the past two years. The groom, also a graduate of the Smith Cotton high school, served in the United States Air force for 26 months and is now a co-owner at the Stewart avenue market.

A dinner and game night were held at the Sedalia Country club Thursday evening. Thirty-five reservations were made.

Miss June Cecelia Neiberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Neiberger, 1515 East Fifth street, and Warren Nelson Rennison, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennison, of Smithton, were married at 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, February 18, at the parsonage of the Fifth Street Methodist church. The Rev. H. U. Campbell read the single ring service.

The bride was attired in a light blue suit with which she wore navy accessories and her corsage was of carnations. For something old she wore her great grandmother's gold breastpin.

A reception was given by the bride's parents at their home at 8:00 o'clock that evening, at which there were 22 guests. The table was centered with a wedding cake on which was a miniature bride and bridegroom. Lighted pink tapers and rosebuds were on the bride's table.

Guests at the reception were Rev. and Mrs. H. U. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Caton, Otterville, Mrs. J. H. Rennison and son, Larry, Mrs. J. W. Sublett, Nina, Penny, J. W. and David Sublett, Dixon Neiberger Wayne Neiberger, and Mr. and Mrs. George Wetmore, of Kansas City, uncle and aunt of the bride.

The bride was graduated from the Smith-Cotton high school in the class of 1945 and was formerly at the Inter-State Studio.

Mr. Rennison is a farmer.

A reception and charivari was held at 8:00 o'clock Saturday night, February 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennison.

Miss Helen Marie Jenkins, whose engagement is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jenkins, 915 East Eleventh street, today. She will be married May 13th to Mr. Chester Chalfant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chalfant, of Knob Noster. (Cole's Photo.)

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Cook, of Beaman, Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp and son, John, of Beaman; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cramer, Smithton, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McNulty and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. John Long, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin May, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin May and daughter, Melva, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Cook and son, Gary, all of Smithton; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Caton, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Caton, Sam Caton and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wilson, of Otterville, Mrs. Bob Routon and son, Earl, of Syracuse, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennison and sons Vincent and Larry and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rennison, of Smithton.

Winners at the Thursday afternoon Duplicate bridge tournament at the Sedalia Country club were: east and west, Mrs. W. F. Keyser and Mrs. Jack Reeder and north and south, Mrs. J. C. McLaughlin and Mrs. Harold Dean. The tournament was preceded by a luncheon at 12:30 o'clock.

At an extra table of bridge, Mrs. James Darr, Jr., received high score.

Miss June Marie Cantrell, daughter of Mrs. Blanche Cantrell, 1616 West Broadway, became the bride of Pfc. Richard F. Flippin, of the United States Marines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flippin, 1905 South Sneed avenue, at 1:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon, March 6. The marriage took place in the Assembly of God church, before an alter setting of baskets of flowers, palms and white candles in tall candelabra. Rev. Bird H. Campbell, pastor of the church, read the double ring service.

Miss Marjorie Liebel, wearing a gray dress with navy accessories and a corsage of white carnations, played the piano. Mrs. Bob Harvey, who was attired in a blue suit, was soloist. Mrs. Harvey sang: "Always" and "I Love You Truly."

As Miss Barbara Smith and Miss Ann Goist, dressed in gowns of green taffeta and wearing corsages of white carnation, lighted the candles, Miss Liebel played "Largo" by Handel.

As the processional she played the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin and as the recessional, Mendelssohn's Wedding March.

The bride, whose grandfather, Mr. George H. Evans, gave her in marriage, chose for her wedding a powder blue wool gabardine suit with navy accessories and her flower was a white orchid.

Miss Betty Smetana, the bride's only attendant, wore a suit of aqua gabardine with accessories of cocoa shade and her corsage was of white carnations.

Pfc. Gene Wells, United States Marine Corps, served as best man.

Miss Betty Sue Martin was hostess at a reception held at 1612 West Broadway. On one end of the bride's table was the three-tier wedding cake decorated with pink roses and silver leaves and topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. At the other end of the table was the punch bowl.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goldsmith, with their attendants, Mrs. Clayton Young and Mr. William R. Lyles, who were married Sunday, March 6, by the Rev. T. W. Croxton at his home, 511 West Broadway. Mrs. Goldsmith was formerly Miss Frances Parks, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Parks, 308 North Prospect avenue. Mr. Goldsmith is the son of Mrs. L. B. Corson, 1009 South Vermont avenue. (Lehmer)

Miss Lenore Elaine Ditzfeld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ditzfeld of La Monte, Mo., whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Louis Griffitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Griffitt, of Sweet Springs, Mo., has been announced by her parents. The wedding will take place April 17.

Miss Ann Goist and Miss Barbara Smith served.

The couple left on a wedding trip to St. Louis after which the bridegroom will return to San Diego, Calif., where he is stationed. His bride will join him there in May after her graduation from the Smith-Cotton high school.

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Beverly Elizabeth Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Brooks, of Berkeley, Cal., and Donald Dean Fulks, son of Mr. ad Mrs. B. L. Fulks, of Latham, Mo., was made recently to a group of friends from Berkeley and San Francisco, Cal., following the arrival of the party of 40 at Pine Crest for a week-end of skiing.

The announcement was made when a large decorated cake was brought in on which there were two miniature skiers and the names "Bev and Don."

The marriage date has been set for June.

The bride is a graduate of Berkeley high school and a member of the 1947 graduating class of the University of California. She is now teaching in the Bakersfield high school.

Mr. Fulks will graduate in June from the San Francisco City college, where he is majoring in chemistry. He is a veteran of World War II and was a prisoner of war in Germany for some time.

Miss Almarie Viebrock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Viebrock, of Sedalia, became the bride of Mr. John L. Horttor, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Horttor, also of Sedalia, in a double ring ceremony at the St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday, February 27th, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. The Rev. Walter F. Strickert read the ceremony before an altar banked with white gladioli, pink snapdragons and greens. Seven-branch candelabra lighted the sanctuary.

Miss Mildred Brackman, at the organ, played the nuptial music. Miss Josephine Wadleigh sang "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Miss Brackman. As the bridal party entered the church, Miss Brackman played "Oh, Promise Me," and the Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Judith Scott, of California. She wore a blue floor-length gown and a corsage of pink gladioli.

Mrs. Roland Kroenke was dressed in a lime green dress and wore a corsage of yellow gladioli. Miss Ruby Jane Wissman wore a yellow dress and her corsage was of blue gladioli. They were candle lighters in addition to being bridesmaids.

The bride wore a gown of white satin, with lace trimming around the neck, which was in the sweet heart style, and around the sleeves, which came to points over the hands. Her finger-tip veil fell from a lace crown. She carried a white Bible, with a lavender orchid, from which fell white satin streamers.

Mr. Russell Holman, of Sedalia, served the bridegroom as best man and the groomsmen were Mr. Roland Kroenke and Mr. Kenneth Nelson, both of Sedalia, who also served as ushers.

The bride and bridegroom's mothers wore dresses of Navy blue with black accessories and corsages of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

A wedding cake centered the table and the room was decorated with a large bouquet of gladioli and with white candles.

The bride is a graduate of Smith Cotton high school of the class of '47 and attended Central Business college in Sedalia. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Adrian high school, in the class of '46.

The couple will reside in Kansas City.

Miss Eunice E. Howery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howery, became the bride of John D. Friedly, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedly, of Ionia, at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, February 22. The Rev. Ralph E. Hurd, pastor of the Epworth Methodist church, read the double ring service before a setting of pink gladiolia and calla lilies.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Nelson Rennison who were married February 18. Mrs. Rennison was formerly Miss June Cecelia Neiberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Neiberger, 1515 East Fifth street. Mr. Rennison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rennison, of Smithton. (Lehmer Photo)

The bride wore a dress of powder blue, with accessories of navy and her corsage was of pink rosebuds. Her only ornament was a strand of pearls.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Irma Lee Mein, who was attired in a dusty rose crepe dress with brown accessories and her corsage was of white roses.

Clarence Friedly served his brother as best man.

Both the bride and bridegroom are graduates of the Cole Camp high school. The bride has been employed at the Bank of Ionia since her graduation and now holds the position of assistant cashier. The bridegroom served three years in the army, 18 months of which were spent overseas in the Pacific theatre. Since returning from service he has been employed as a carpenter and electrician.

At 5:00 o'clock that evening a wedding dinner was given at the home of the bride's parents.

The dining table was centered with a three tier cake topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom and on either side were white lighted tapers. Place cards were lace doilies with miniature hearts.

Those seated at the dinner table were the bride and bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Friedly, Jr., Miss Irma Lee Mein, Clarence Friedly, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mullins and children, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Pittman, Miss Ella Fern Miller, Leonard Howery, Mr. and Mrs J. D. Friedly and Mr. and Mrs Walter Howery.

Later in the evening a reception was given at which guests numbered approximately 150. Refreshments of ice cream and wedding cake were served.

The couple left the next day on a two weeks wedding trip to New Orleans, La., where they attended the Mardi Gras.

They will make their home in Ionia.

Loyal Sewing Club will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Gano Stearns, 920 West Sixteenth street. A contributed dinner will be served. The remainder of the day will be spent in sewing for the Odd Fellows Home.

Miss Selma Bloess, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Bloess, 1409 West Broadway, is entertaining Miss Betty Ramsey of Parma, Mo., as a week-end guest. Both Miss Ramsey and Miss Bloess are attending the University of Missouri.

The regular 1:00 o'clock luncheon and game day will be held Tuesday afternoon at the Heard Memorial club house.

The Friendship club met at the home of Mrs. Claude Goode, 672 East Fifteenth street, last Thursday for an all day meeting. At the noon hour the following children joined in the noon day luncheon with their mothers: Ray Smith, Nadine Smith, Joyce LeBegue, Gladys LeBegue, Beverly Bremer, Marvin Bremer and Grace Bremer, Marie Christian, Judy Christian, Nola Schutte, Georgie Schutte, Betty Schutte, Jo Hallman, Kenny Holman, Little Bottcher, Betty Bottcher, Mildred Koeller, Dotty Goode, Claudell Goode and Dela Goode.

The roll call was answered by "A View From My Kitchen Window." How to patch overalls on the sewing machine was shown by Grace Bremer.

A group of household magazines were distributed among the members by Mildred Koeller. A game was played and songs were sung.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. F. A. Schutte, 916 East Fourteenth street.

Mrs. Virginia Rose Moore was initiated into the National Fraternity, Kappa Delta Pi, at CMSC, Warrensburg, on Tuesday night. Kappa Delta Pi is a national scholastic fraternity for mathematic majors.

Mrs. Moore is now working on her Master's Degree.

Miss Gayle Scruton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Scruton has as her house guest for the week-end a Sorority sister, Miss Jo Ann Hopkins, of Kansas City. Miss Scruton and Miss Hopkins are students of Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg.

Osage Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will hold its March meeting at the home of Miss Jessie Blair, 420 South Grand avenue, at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. Frazier McVean, of Tipton, Mrs. Dimmitt Hoffman, Mrs. Leonard McClure, Mrs. W. T. Bishop, Mrs. P. L. Strole, Miss Nettie Lamm, Mrs. Elza Berry and Mrs. P. H. Vaughan.

The program for the afternoon will be a book review by Mrs. Thomas W. Croxton. Mrs. Croxton will review the book, "Earthbound" by Reymond S. Dalton.

Last Wednesday night, the Elks Auxiliary met at the Elks home for a St. Patrick's party.

Decorations were in keeping with the season. Songs were sung and the game "Bunco" was played during the evening, with awards going to the following: Mrs. Earl Paxton, Mrs. A. C. Garst, Mrs. Homer Croy, Mrs. John Devine, Mrs. Phillip Pheiffer, Mrs. Walter Cramer.

Refreshments of shamrock ice cream and individual cakes were served by the following hostesses: Mrs. Dan Doty, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. W. C. Askew, Mrs. Lawrence Twenter.

Mrs. Harold J. Hudson, of Mission, Kas., was guest of honor at a birthday dinner Sunday, March 13, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Youngkamp, of Beaman.

Seated with the honor guest were: Mr. Hudson, Kay and Stevie Hudson, Miss Pat Youngkamp, John Youngkamp, Mr. James J. Kane of Kansas City and Mrs. Youngkamp.

Mrs. Hudson received many nice gifts.

Miss Paulette Roe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Roe, of Barnett, became the bride of Mr. Lloyd Jackson McKinley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Green McKinley, of Barnett, Saturday night, March 12, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roe. The Rev. Rolston read the single ring ceremony.

The bride's matron of honor was Mrs. Helen Kelly, her sister, of St. Louis, who wore a pink lace and satin dress with matching hat. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Miss Roe, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a lace covered white satin dress, with a finger-tip veil held in place by a crown of seed pearls and orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of American beauty roses.

Mr. Charles Kelly, of St. Louis, attended the bridegroom.

The bride's mother wore a grey and rose colored jersey dress and had a corsage of red roses. Mrs. McKinley wore a Navy blue dress and red roses.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roe, Mrs. Carl Wollenberg, Mrs. Mary Caywood and Mrs. Anna Goans.

A 3:30 o'clock luncheon was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Green McKinley for approximately 40 guests.

The couple left for a short wedding trip. Mrs. McKinley wore for her traveling costume a grey suit with red accessories.

The couple will be at home in Kansas City about the first of April.

Garden Circle No. 7 of the Sedalia Garden Club met at the home of Mrs. S. W. James, 1414 South Vermont avenue, at 1:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, March 1, with Mrs. A. Maxwell and Mrs. Champ Richardson as assisting hostesses.

Mrs. Leslie Hale gave a talk on color harmony for the out-door living room.

Mrs. O. M. Waller reviewed two chapters of the book, "Flower Arrangement." Selection and handling of material were stressed in the review.

Mrs. Linden L. Jones received a first and second in awards, Mrs. Frank Henderson one red and Mrs. S. W. James one red.

Mrs. N. E. Whittington, 1202 East Broadway, entertained with a birthday party honoring her daughter, Delores who was celebrating her 13th birthday anniversary Friday evening from 6:00 o'clock to 9:00 o'clock.

The dining table was covered with a party table cloth and centered with a birthday cake and candle holders with green candles. Refreshments were served by candlelight.

Various games and contests were played. Entertainment of music was furnished by Valgene Hayworth, Dean Hinken and Mrs. Whittington at the piano, and Chester O'Bannon on the clarinet. Ada Louise sang a song, "Lanvender Blue."

Those attending were classmates of Delores: Valgene Hayworth, Chester O'Bannon, Norma Wilcox, Barbara Rhoades, Jimmy Schmitt, Glen Smith, Frances Bennett, Dean Hinken, Robert Bennett, Joyce Phillips, Benny Walters, Wayne Davis, Ada Louise Durrill, Jimmy Byrnes, Larry Lingle, La Veta White, Teresa Phillips, Janet Jones and Tommy and Delores Whittington.

Those invited but unable to attend were: Sylvia Grosfinger, Clifford Jett, J. M. Maxwell and Jimmy Hart.

Delores received many gifts.

Mrs. Whittington was assisted in serving by Delores' two grandmothers, Mrs. S. W. Welch and Mrs. Pete Whittington.

The L. S. B. of L. F. and E. met Thursday in the K. P. Hall, 114½ East Fifth street, for a 12:00 o'clock dinner in honor of the 42nd anniversary of the lodge.

The dinner was served to 33 officers and members of the lodge. The tables were decorated in the St. Patrick day colors.

The business meeting was called to order at 2:00 o'clock by the president, Mrs. J. R. Hunt. The following ladies were present: Mrs. Melsena Butner, Mrs. Harry Frey, Mrs. L. H. Luckey, Mrs. Bessie Motz, Mrs. Roy Hill, Mrs. Maude Horton, Mrs. Carl Almquist, Mrs. H. W. Starke, Mrs. N. E. Miller, Mrs. L. N. Yunker, Mrs. W. J. Griessen, Mrs. J. W. Starke, Mrs. V. G. Tucker, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. Roy Ramey, Mrs. Charles Spillers, Mrs. Eddie Deuel, Mrs. Chester Long, Mrs. J. E. Coates, Mrs. Ferdie Lietzke, Mrs. Charles Holt, Mrs. A. C. Heckenlaible, Mrs. Joe Dunn, Mrs. R. R. Overfelt, Mrs. H. E. Weseloh, Mrs. Ben Cramer, Mrs. Troy Teeter, Mrs. Leland Witt, Mrs. Jay Nicholson, Mrs. R. F. Forsberg, Mrs. John B. O'Brien, Mrs. D. D. Armstrong, Mrs. Carl Urban, Mrs. C. M. Brownfield.

The F. and L. Club met at the home of Miss Erma and Gilbert Campbell, Green Ridge, Thursday night. Cards were played during the evening.

Refreshments of sandwiches, coffee and cocoa were served by Mrs. Sterling Campbell to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shipps, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell, Mr. Johnny White, Miss Vera June Durrill, Mr. Charles Stoner, Erma Louise Campbell and to Sterling Campbell.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, Green Ridge, with June and Johnny White as hosts, April 15.

Mrs. Nellie Woolery, formerly of Sedalia, and Mr. Ivan Howard, of Kansas City, were married at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon, in the Linwood Methodist church. Reverend Street read the service.

The couple visited the bride's sister, Mrs. Helen Carl, 213 West Fifth street, Sedalia, Friday night.

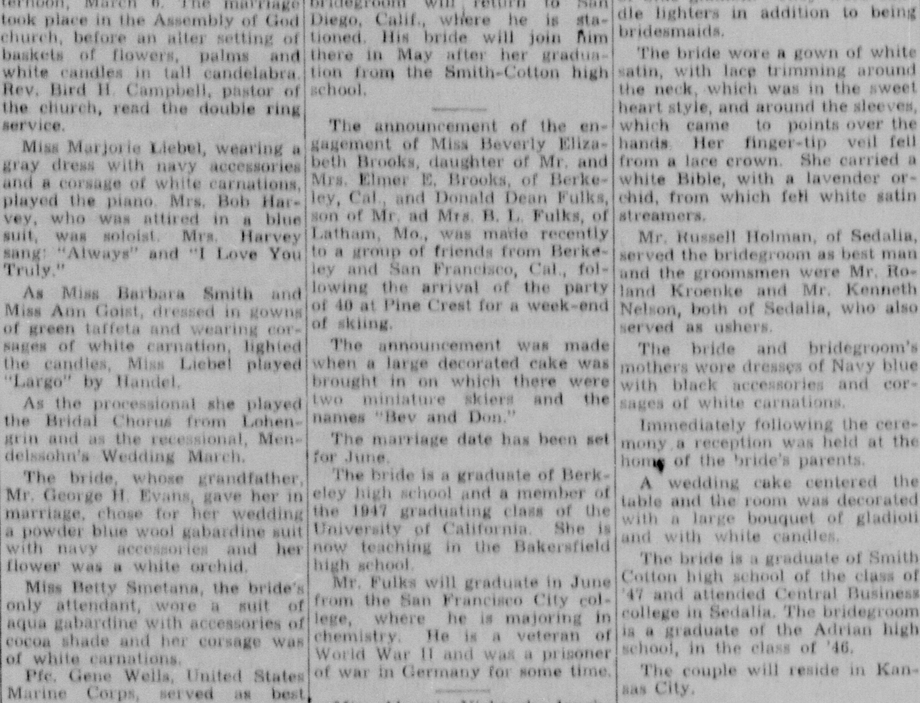
After a honeymoon in Southern Missouri Mr. and Mrs. Howard will be at home at 1125 East 65th street, Kansas City.

Miss Rosalie Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edward Roberts, of Route One, Sedalia, was married to Mr. Robert F. Ramey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Ramey, of Route Five, Sedalia, at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning, March 17, by the Rev. Walter P. Arnold, at his home, in a double ring ceremony.

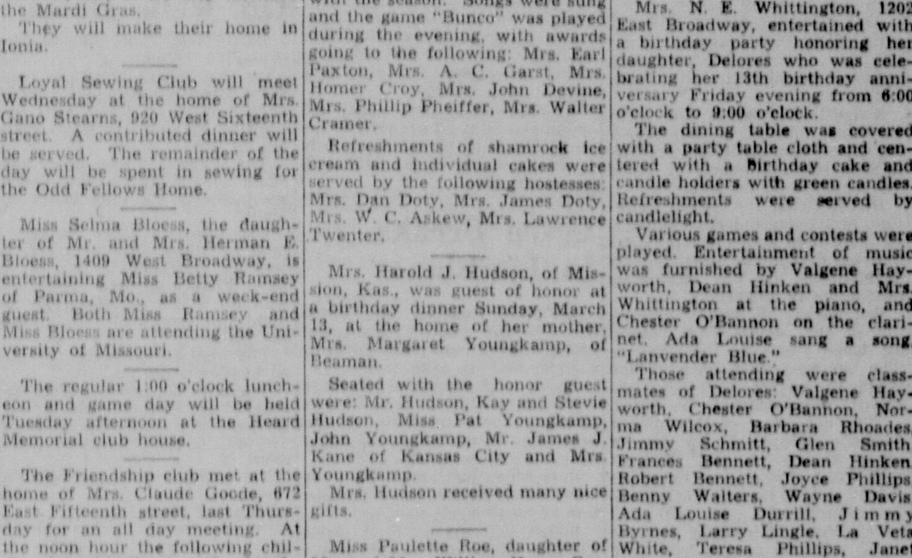
The couple was attended by the bridegroom's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Hieronymus.

The bride wore a grey and Navy blue suit with accessories of the same color. Her corsage was of white roses. Mrs. Roberts attended Smith-Cotton high school

The bridegroom attended the Hughesville high school and was in the United States Army for three and one half years.



The wedding party of Mr. and Mrs. John Horttor, both of Sedalia, who were married February 27th at the St. Paul's Lutheran church, reading from left to right: Roland Kroenke, Kenneth Nelson, Russel Holman, John Horttor, The Rev. Walter F. Strickert, Mrs. Horttor, formerly Miss Almarie Viebrock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Viebrock, Miss Judith Scott, Miss Ruby Jane Wissman and Mrs. Roland Kroenke. (Photo by Lehmer)



Pfc. and Mrs. Richard F. Flippin, who were married March 6, and members of the wedding party. They are left to right: Miss Marjorie Liebel, Miss Barbara Smith, Miss Betty Jean Smetana, Mrs. Richard Flippin, who was formerly Miss June Marie Cantrell, daughter of Mrs. Blanche Cantrell, 1616 West Broadway, Rev. Bird H. Campbell, Pfc. Richard Flippin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flippin, 1905 South Sneed avenue, Pfc. Gene Wells, Miss Ann Goist and Mrs. Bob Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedly, the latter the former Miss Eunice E. Howery, who were married February 22, and their attendants, Miss Irma Lee Mein and Clarence Friedly.

Sedalia Women At Garden Club Board Meeting

Mrs. Herbert Seifert, 1701 West Eleventh street, and Mrs. A. W. Klang, 700 South Park avenue, have returned from Webster Groves, where they attended the board meeting of the Federated Garden Clubs of Missouri. The meeting closed with a luncheon Friday at the Y. M. C. A.

The Blue Star Highway Memorial plan was discussed at the meeting and the board voted to recommend, at the state convention to be held in Cape Girardeau in May, that Highway 50 will be retained as the Blue State Memorial Highway. It will also recommend that Highway 40 be considered as a parallel Blue Star Memorial Route connecting with the national route from coast to coast. An announcement was made at the board that the national marker will be placed as soon as available at intervals along the route. Two of the markers will be placed in the roadside park west of Sedalia, which is sponsored by the Council of the Sedalia Garden Club.

Mrs. Klang was a guest at a house party at the home of Mrs. James N. McClure, in Kirkwood, for three days, and Mrs. Seifert was the house guest of Mrs. H. M. Harned, former Sedalian. In addition to the board meeting Mrs. Klang and Mrs. Seifert attended the Flower Show in St. Louis.

Sedalians Going to Meeting in Dallas

M. J. Elsea, district superintendent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and four of his Sedalia agents, L. J. Brown, J. O. Latimer, R. S. Rissler and H. T. Seaton, are going to Dallas, Texas, to attend the second annual meeting of the President's club, to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at the Baker hotel

The trip is being given the agents as a meritorius award for their accomplishments during 1948.

Prairie Hill P. T. A. Elect Officers

The Parent Teachers Association met at Prairie Hill school March 11 with 11 members and eight children present.

The business meeting and an election of officers was held. A short program was presented by the school. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served by the members.

Property Sold at Auction

The property owned by John Smethers, at 402 East Jackson street, was sold at public auction Friday to Mr. and Mrs. John McDaniels. Kemp Hieronymus was the auctioneer.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Jane Buford

Mrs. Jane Buford, aged 68 years, widow of the late Frank B. Buford, passed away Thursday afternoon at her home, 211 West Tenth street.

Mrs. Buford was born near Joplin, Mo., in 1881 and was married to Frank B. Buford on February 14, 1897. He died in Sedalia Feb. 14, 1947.

She had lived in this community for a period of thirteen years. Mrs. Buford was a member of the First Baptist church and also of Sedalia chapter, No. 57, Order of the Eastern Star.

She is survived by three sons, Elmo Buford, Boonville, Frank Buford, Kansas City, and Marvin Buford of the home, also by four grandchildren, several nieces and nephews.

The body was taken to the Gillespie funeral home.

Arrangements for the funeral services have not been completed.

Mrs. Margaret A. Corley

Mrs. Margaret Alice Corley, 85, died early Thursday morning at her home, Route 2, Sedalia.

Mrs. Corley was born July 8, 1863, in Cooper county, Mo., and had been a resident of this community for the past 65 years. She was a charter member of the Goodwill Methodist chapel.

She is survived by one son, W. I. Thomas, of 810 West Broadway, Sedalia; one daughter, Mrs. Ada Lee Leiter, of the home; two brothers, Thomas M. Garrett, of Route 2, and Charles E. Garrett, of Route 2; two grandsons, James M. Thomas, of Blue Springs, Mo., and Leo T. Leiter, of Route 2. Nine great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Her first husband, James H. Thomas, died September 9, 1922. Her second husband preceded her in death several years ago. Four brothers, Robert, James W., Frank and Henry Garrett also preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be held at the Gillespie funeral home at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. Carl Opp in charge.

Mrs. M. O. Stevens and Mrs. Carl Opp, accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser, will sing, "Precious Memories," "How Beautiful Heaven Must Be" and "In the Sweet By and By."

Pallbearers will be: G. E. Allcorn, Dewey Bohon, Ernest Stevens, August Hamlett, Olliver Garret, Ellis Garrett.

Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Catherine Pregge

Mrs. Catherine Cordes Pregge, 80 years old, former Sedalian, widow of Henry F. Pregge, died at her home in Texarkana, Tex., at noon Wednesday according to word received by her niece, Mrs. P. E. Pierce, 1115 East Fifth street.

Funeral services and burial were held Thursday.

Mrs. Pregge was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frederick August Cordes, born one half mile from the Blackjack school near Florence. Both parents died when she was four years old and of the seven children in the family only one sister, Mrs. James Lee Finley, Route 5, Sedalia, survives.

Besides the sister she leaves a son, Walter Pregge, one grandson, Clifford Pregge and two great grandsons, of Shreveport, La., and 18 nieces and nephews.

Amel C. Lueking Service

Funeral services for Amel Conrad Lueking, 1002 South Kentucky avenue, who died at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, were held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Fifth Street Methodist church with the pastor, the Rev. H. U. Campbell, officiating.

Pallbearers were: Leslie Hale, Leonard Hale, Joe Rosenthal, C. F. Hurtt, Frank Gross and A. A. Wherley.

Mrs. Mae Moser was in charge of the music. Two songs were sung, "Saved By Grace" and "Sweet Hour of Prayer."

The songs were sung by a quartet composed of Mrs. George Lovercamp, Mrs. Arthur Bratten, Miss Jerry Teufel, and Mrs. W. L. Lewis.

Mrs. G. G. Thedick Service

The body of Mrs. G. G. Thedick, who died at her home in Yermo, Calif., after several months illness will arrive in Sedalia at 3:20 o'clock Saturday morning and will be taken to the McLaughlin funeral chapel.

Graveside services will be held at 11:15 o'clock Saturday morning at the Calvary cemetery conducted by Father A. J. Brunswick.

Dee Haggard Service

Mrs. Tom Wood of LaMonte, received a message of the death of her brother-in-law, Dee Haggard of Marshall, who died early Wednesday morning at his home.

Mr. Haggard was born December 12, 1872 in Saline County.

He is survived by one step daughter, Mrs. Edgar Smith of Marshall, a step son, Carl Smith of Kansas City.

Funeral services will be held at Sweet Springs at the Methodist church at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon with the Rev. Sampson, pastor, officiating.

George J. Goff Service

Funeral services for George Jake Goff, 60, of 642 East Third street, who died at his home early Wednesday morning, will be held at the McLaughlin funeral chapel at 2:00 o'clock this afternoon with the Rev. S. K. Mabry in charge.

Pallbearers will be James Shull, H. Cook, William Toliver, S. B. Avery, C. Walker, and Orvil Quigley.

Mrs. S. K. Mabry and Mrs. Evelyn Worlledge will sing "In The Garden," and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus," accompanied at the organ by Mrs. C. D. Demand.

Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

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planation the facts of federal government expansion are clearly evident. They show that in less than two decades the number of civilian employees has increased from 570,000 to more than 2,100,000; that the number of bureaus, agencies and service units has increased four-fold to more than 1800, while the annual expenditures have grown from 3½ billion dollars to more than 42 billion and the national debt per average family from $500 to approximately $7,500.

Turning to a discussion of the social security problem in Missouri, Fisher pointed out that only six states in the United States have a larger percentage of persons 65 or over receiving old age assistance than Missouri and that only three states have a larger percentage of their total population receiving old age assistance than Missouri.

Most Productive Step

Stating that the enactment of a lien and recovery law seems to be the most productive step that could be taken to bring the Missouri old age assistance program into line, Fisher stated, "The truly needy aged citizens of Missouri should be provided for adequately. The object of an old age assistance program should be to provide proper help to the truly needy without permitting those not in need to absorb funds to the disadvantage of the needy, the other state functions or the public which must provide the funds.

"A proper lien and recovery provision is eminently fair and just. It would provide a claim upon the property of the recipient only up to the amount of assistance given. It would work no hardship upon the old age assistance recipient whatsoever. The recipient would retain and have complete use of his property throughout his lifetime. Even after his death, in cases where there was a surviving indigent spouse or other needy dependents, no claim would be made as long as the property was used as their home."

Traced Organization's Growth

Fisher traced the growth of the organized taxpayer movement throughout the nation and noted some of the accomplishments of Missouri Public Expenditure Survey in striving for more efficient and more economical government on the federal, state, and local levels.

Fisher strongly urged that citizens talk with their elected representatives whenever the opportunity presented itself. He said, "Your representatives will appreciate having your thought and your suggestions. Your representatives and your public officials are your employees . . . their problems are our problems."

John F. Zander, secretary of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce was a club guest.

'Self Sufficient In Supply of Oil

TULSA, Okla. ,March 24—(AP)—Southwestern oil men were told today by one of their top executives that the country is self-sufficient in its oil supply.

And, said President T. E. Swigart of Shell Pipe Line Co., Houston, Tex., the domestic petroleum industry promises to grow each year.

Swigart addressed the Mid-Continent meeting of the American Petroleum Institute's Production division, attended by some 700 members of the industry.

In reviewing the supply situation, he pointed out that demands on the United States for oil export had been relieved somewhat by development of the large-scale production in Venezuela.

But rapidly increasing production in the Middle East, backed by large reserves, threatens to take an important part of the European market from both this country and Venezuela, he added.

"The net effect of this on our domestic industry is the loss of some foreign outlets," Swigart said. "But if we gear ourselves chiefly to take care of our domestic requirements, we will still have a vigorous industry and one which promises growth from year to year."

About 1,000 at MW Roundup

Approximately 1,000 farmers of the Pettis county area visited the annual "Farmers Round-Up Day" program and demonstrations at the Montgomery Ward Farm store, from 10:30 o'clock in the morning until 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The store's line of farm implements and equipment was on display, and demonstrations were given of many of the items, including the chain saw, hammer mill, garden tractors, and others. Refreshments were served throughout the day.

The show was under the supervision of M. G. Goodrich as general manager of Montgomery Ward in Sedalia, J. F. Fear as manager of the Farm store, and Marion Greer. Mr. Fear also presented merchandise prizes which were awarded during the day.

Granted A Divorce

Mrs. Grace C. Haley was granted a divorce in circuit court, Wednesday, from her husband, James J. Haley, and was also awarded the custody of three minor children.

Novelty Piano Duo Wins in Talent Finds

Peggy Shull and Don Broaddus Took Second Place

"Twenty Fingers of Rhythm" novelty piano duo, won the Fox Talent Quest finals Thursday night and a trip to Springfield which may also lead to Hollywood. Louis Greife, 45 and Scott Sappington, 47, both of Windsor, who having been playing the piano together by ear since childhood won the applause of the audience which gave them first place.

Second place was won by Peggy Shull and Don Broaddus with a jitterbug act. The 'teen age Smith-Cotton high school pair are cousins and received gifts

Third place went to the Boggess Four, a quartet composed of two brothers and two sisters, Lavedia, Bobbie, Harvey and Udell, who also received gifts.

Present Acts Tonight

So great was the crowd to see the final Tslent Quest show that more than one thousand persons were turned away, and Joe Ruddick, theatre manager is presenting the same thirteen acts again tonight so that those unable to get in the theatre Thursday night may still see the show.

Others who won outstanding applause to the degree that they were called upon the stage for a final decision of the judges were Ernest Mullberry, tenor and Dickie Phillips, novelty fiddle champion.

There were eight other acts all receiving a great deal of applause making the judging difficult. They were Carol Ann Turner, acrobatic, "The Collegiates" quartette from Central Missouri State college; Karl S. Brosing, Jr., baritone; Barbara Brown, vocalist; Billy Schwenck, and his accordion; Diane and Donnalyn Keim, from Eldon, "Thix Arcobatique," The Three Aces, Jerry Engle, Maxine Noel and "Rosy" Ellis, and Claude Boul, Jr., classical pianist

Mr. Greife and Mr. Sappington will go to Springfield Monday night to appear on the regional talent quest.

Mrs. Nellie Monegan has been the accompanist for many of the acts throughout the entire contest.

Month More To Price Support

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The agriculture department announced today it will grant growers one month more time to qualify for price support aid for 1949 crop wheat than was allowed for the 1948 crop.

Such aid will be available from harvest time through January 31, 1950. Last year it was available only through December 31, 1948.

This extension of time is designed to strengthen the price support program by giving growers longer time to get grain into acceptable storage—facilities for which are short in some areas.

It also will enable growers to shift taxes on a part or all on their grain to the 1950 tax year. If put under price supports after next January 1, returns for the grain would be subject to taxation as a part of 1950 income.

As required by law, wheat will be supported at 90 per cent of the parity price of wheat as of July 1, the beginning of the 1949 crop marketing year.

Levee Breaks In Louisiana

BATRON ROUGE, La., March 24—(AP)—The flooded Mississippi broke a levee four miles north of the city of Port Allen today.

Major M. J. Roden of the State Police said "It's a very serious situation" and residents of the area close to the break are being evacuated immediately.

Port Allen, just across the river from Baton Rouge, has a population of about 6,500 persons.

Roden said the break is about 500 feet across and is still growing.

He said the water at present is flowing west of the city, and some observers say it will miss inhabitated areas completely. The break is about two miles north of a highway bridge across the Mississippi.

The river has been at flood stage several days.

Rent Bill go to Compromise

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The House refused today to accept senate amendments to its bill continuing rent controls. The decision will send the measure to a Senate-House conference committee to work out a compromise.

Rent controls will expire a week from today, unless a compromise can be reached and the bill put on President Truman's desk at that time.

Neither Senate nor House bill makes rent controls as strong or continues them as long as President Truman asked.

BIRTHS

Twin daughters, born to AMM 2/c and Mrs. John Williams Tuesday morning in San Diego, Cal. One baby weighed five pounds, the other four pounds, eleven and three-fourths ounces. Mr. Williams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams, 702 Wilkerson street.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rains, of Warrensburg, at 4:30 o'clock Thursday morning at the Bothwell hospital. Weight: Six pounds, seven ounces.

Prominent Persons Withdraw

From Controversial Cultural, Scientific Conference in N.Y. For World Peace

NEW YORK, March 24—(AP)—Withdrawal of seven more prominent persons from the controversial cultural and scientific conference for world peace was reported today.

Americans for Intellectual Freedom, a group opposing the conference, listed seven headed by Franklin Pierce Adams, the newspaper columnist known as FPA.

Sponsors of the three-day conference, the National Council of the Arts, Sciences and Professions, said, however, that only two on the list had sent them notices of withdrawal. They said the two were Adams and Rabbi Mordecai M. Kaplan of the Jewish Theological Seminary.

The intellectual freedom group listed, in addition to Adams and Kaplan, these persons:

Canada Lee, Negro actor; Prof. Rexford Guy Tugwell of the University of Chicago; Lynn Riggs, playwright; the Rev. Karl Grorowsky, minister of a Brooklyn Unitarian church, and Prof. Ernest Hockins of Harvard university.

Ask Reds to Visit Factories

Russian delegates to the conference today were invited to inspect major American factories, as opponents went ahead with plans to picket the weekend meetings.

The invitation to tour this country's industrial areas was extended to the Soviet group by the National Association of Manufacturers.

Routed through Soviet Ambassador Alexander Panyushkin, the invitation expressed belief that such tours would further world peace "as the peoples of the world come to know how one another work and live . . ."

There was no indication from Soviet sources as to whether the Russians would accept.

In a separate letter to Dmitri Shostakovich, famed composer and leader of the Russian delegation, President Wallace F. Bennett of the NAM said he hoped Panyushkin would approve the tour.

Bennett said the NAM would pay all the expenses of the Russians and work out with them an itinerary which could be completed within the time the delegates are scheduled to remain in this country.

Sponsors of the controversial "world peace" parley which opens tomorrow, charged the state department with "deliberately misreprenting the conference in the eyes of the American people" as protests against it mounted.

Precaution Shuts Oil Wells Down

HOUSTON, Tex., March 24—(AP)—Five producing oil wells were shut down tonight as operators sought to minimize possible danger from an abandoned well spewing gas over the south Houston oil field.

The abandoned well broke loose again tonight after having burned spectacularly for nine hours last night.

Gas pressure broke through a mud pack that had been used to smother the flames at 3 a. m. today. Flames spouted from the well for a few minutes early tonight but workmen extinguished the blaze.

The high pressure gas continued to spew from the well.

Stanolind Oil and Gas Company ordered the shut down of the five oil wells as a precautionary measure until danger of further fire is over.

The pumper wells had operated throughout last night's fire and throughout Thursday.

Social Security Expansion Plan

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—Support sprang up in the House today for putting new millions of workers into the old age insurance system.

The administration proposed a "stamp book" plan to help handle the tax-paying problem and facilitate extension of insurance coverage. President Truman wants to blanket an additional 20,000,000 under the plan. This would make a total of 50,000,000 workers.

Some bipartisan support immediately appeared in the House for broadening the plan, although some lawmakers voiced doubt that all 20,000,000 can be brought in at this time.

Moreover, Rep. Kean (R-NJ), a member of the House ways and means committee, told reporters he agrees with President Truman that the social security tax should be increased from the present one percent to two percent each against employes' pay and employers' payrolls— to make the social security program self-supporting.

Kean also supported the idea of increased social security insurance coverage.

Family of Five Burn to Death

CIRCLEVILLE, O., March 24—(AP) — A family of five persons burned to death early today when fire destroyed their tenant house on a farm, 12 miles northwest of here.

The victims were:

Leonard Estep, 28, tenant farmer; his wife Frances, 26, and their three children, Jean 6; Beverly, 4, and Joie Lee, 17 months.

A neighbor discovered the fire about 5 a. m. and called the Circleville fire department.

Bill to Increase State Aid For School Transportation

JEFFERSON CITY, March 24—(AP)—A bill to increase state aid for transporting school children in rural districts was introduced in the House of Representatives today.

It would allot $5 a month per pupil for one mile or more. Present law calls for $3 per pupil for two miles.

The bill was introduced by Rep. R. H. Ridenour (R) of Osage county.

Also introduced was a bill to allow the Department of Health and Welfare to hire out-of-state physicians and technicians.

Under present law all employes of the department must have been residents of Missouri for at least two years before taking merit system examinations to get jobs in the department.

The bill was introduced by Rep. William Pittmen (R) of Dekalb county.

Other Bills

The House advanced to final voting stage a bill to eliminate the requirement that the director of the state Division of Mental Diseases be a psychiatrist.

Supporters said the director's main job is administrative and he need not be a doctor. The director now is Dr. Orr Mullinax, former superintendent of the St. Joseph state hospital.

Another measure advanced would set the tuition of high school students attending school outside their own district at the per pupil cost of teaching them. Now the teaching district can charge only the proportionate cost of hiring teachers and incidental expenses.

Rep. Floyd L. Snyder (D) of Jackson county said it would increase the per pupil tuition in his school district about $14 a year.

Defendant Tells Prosecutor he Should be Working on Farm

DETROIT, March 24.—(AP)—Everybody was getting aggravated today in the Jones murder trial.

Judge Joseph A. Gillis threatened a defense attorney and spectators with contempt sentences.

Tempers grew hot when James Sacchetti, 31, one of three charged with the murder of Elmer B. Jones, declared that Ralph Garber, chief assistant prosecutor, "should be working on a farm."

James A. Jameson, Sacchetti's attorney, accused Garber of "aggravating the witness."

Judge Willis said the witness was aggravating the prosecutor. Then Sacchetti shouted at the judge:

"And you're aggravating me!"

When Gillis threatened Jameson with a contempt charge, Sacchetti said:

"I wonder my attorney doesn't blow his top."

"I'm not so sure," Judge Gills said.

"What do you mean you're not sure?" Sacchetti demanded. "I'm not so sure about you either."

Laughter broke out. Judge Gillis rapped his gavel and said he would jail the next spectator who laughed.

"In all my experience I never had anything like this," Gillis said. "In any other case but a capital offense it would be ridiculous."

Sacchetti, a Fairmont, W. Va., carnival worker, was testifying for the first time.

Man's Conscience Hurt so he Returned $1,210 Stolen Money

DENVER, March 24—(AP)— A railroad's treasury was heavier by more than $1,200 today and some man's conscience was much lighter.

The Denver and Rio Grande Western received a letter yesterday signed "God knows my name" and containing $1,210 in currency.

The letter, printed in large block letters said:

"About thirty years ago, I started embezzling funds from the D&RGW, for two or three years amounting to about $1,200. It has troubled me at times ever since, until lately it is more than I can stand. I have had no rest day or night and I am atoning by paying back now and hope to have some rest of min and soul by this restitution."

The writer added that the extra ten dollars was from 'another person."

Robert Herring, D&RGW treasurer, said the money would go into the railroad's "conscience fund" which frequently receives cash from the conscience stricken.

Incidentally, Herring said the company probably would have to pay income tax on the $1,210 or about $484.

Community News From

Florence

(MRS. ROBERT ELDENBURG)

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Combs celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary, Sunday, March 20. Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Combs and children, Bobby, Joyce, and Billy, of Kansas City, Kas., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirchner of Jefferson City, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bremer and family, Mrs. Julia Bremer, and Mrs. Lena Brauer, all of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Small and son, Phillip, Greg Combs, Phyllis Combs, and Patty Combs of Stover, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bremer and grandson, Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Sam White, Mrs. Harry Mertgen and children, Mrs. Fannie Casdorph, Lotus Combs, and Audrey and Martha of the home.

Miss Mary Frances Siegel, a student at Warrensburg, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Siegel and family.

Misses Darlene and Jean Oehrke were week-end guests of Miss Barbara Ann Mertgen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Duvel and son, Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houchen, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Helms of Tipton, Friday night, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Duvel's 30th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Houchen and mother Schupp had as dinner guests, Sunday, the following: Mrs. Anna Schupp and son, Norman, of Kansas City, Mrs. Richard Schelschmidt and daughter of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Duvel and son.

Glen Mertgen and Barbara Ann and Betty, were in Sedalia, Friday afternoon, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bremer and grandson, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam White, visited in Stover with Mrs. Martha Kaiser, Sunday afternoon.

E. A. Duvel, accompanied by Monte Finley of Versailles, and Alfred Bockelman of Stover, was in Clinton, Monday, on Triple A business.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rodenbach and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rodenbach and family, visited in the L. A. and Louis Siegel home, Sunday.

Melvin Munsterman, who had spent the past few weeks with relatives in Kansas City, returned home, Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Schlichtig left, Sunday, for Sedalia to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hall of La Monte, Leon Burkhalter and Angeline Sluder of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Zimmerschied and son, Mrs. Lessie Sluder, and Mrs. Mary Baughman were Sunday guests of Mrs. Martha Houchen and daughter, Mary.

Graden Chilcoat of the state of Iowa, visited his aunt, Miss Annie Baughman, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralph Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Don Barnes and son of Moberly, Miss Ona Rages of Columbia, and Mrs. Harold Eldenburg and son, Bobbie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rages and son, Donald, and Mrs. Dietzfeld, Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Munsterman and guest of Centralia, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Munsterman and family, from Wednesday until Saturday.

Donnie Goodman of Beaman, spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hatfield, who with Jim Goodman accompanied him home, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walker were in Sedalia, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Kulen of Jefferson City, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Williamson.

The Methodist youth fellowship attended a sub-district meeting in Lincoln, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirchner accompanied Mrs. Fannie Casdorph home, Sunday. She has been visiting with them, and also with her two daughters in Warrenton.

Clarence Brown returned home Saturday from Kansas City, where he had been taking medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bremer of Sedalia, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of Otterville, visited with Mrs. Lula Bremer, Sunday. She is ill and at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Hotsenpillar.

Mrs. A. L. Siegel and daughter, and Mrs. George Fisher and daughter spent the week-end in Kansas City, visiting the Fishers and the Winsteads.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Oehrke and children of Sedalia, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Day spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Oehrke.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson and daughter of Kansas City, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bramble.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rehmer had as guests, Sunday, the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rehmer and family of Green Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Masters of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Masters of California, and Ray Huffman, Miss Darlene Fry, and Mrs. and Mrs. Jake Fry and family, all of Stover, and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rehmer and family.

Boyd Takes Over; Gets Back Pay

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—Dr. James Boyd collected $10,847.83 in back pay today and formally took over as director of the bureau of mines. He had held the post for two years without pay most of the time.

Before the was sworn in, Secretary of Interior Krug handed him a check for $4,532.36. Immediately afterwards, Krug gave him another for $6,315.47.

He still has a third installment coming. The total back pay due him before he received the two checks was $12,000, the department said.

Slight Damage In Collision

Slight damage resulted in a collision of automobiles at Third street and Kentucky avenue Thursday afternoon at 2:05 o'clock between a 1946 Chrysler sedan driven by Leo W. Yoebel of Eureka, Ill., and Mrs. Albert Anderson of Hughesville, driving a 1947 Mercury.

Mrs. Anderson was pulling away from a parking meter when the accident occurred.

Permit "Family Fares"

WASHINGTON, March 24—(AP)—The Civil Aeronautics Board announced today it will permit airline "family fares" to continue in effect through June 30. The old authorization would have expired March 31.

Community News From

Pilot Grove

By Miss Rosella Kreisel

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Schlotzhauer and daughter, Janie, of Boonville, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Day.

Jim Ford and Oscar Bates of Boonville, visited on Sunday afternoon with Henry Palmer, who has been bedfast for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ries of Independence, visited Mrs. John Ries and Edward Ries, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mayo visited in Sedalia, Wednesday evening, with Mrs. Pearl Mayo.

Mr. and Mrs. Welton Frakes of Boonville, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Palmer, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bestgen and daughter, Debra, of Tipton, visited with Mrs. Ella Zeller, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mayo visited in Cole Camp, Wednesday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. George Kreisel.

H. G. Arnes of St. Louis, visited on Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bock.

Kyle Boyer of St. Louis, spent the week end here with his wife and son at the home of Mrs. John Ries.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Spahr of Independence, and son, W. L., Jr., and wife, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fisher and daughter, Peggy, of Sedalia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kraus, Mrs. Fisher's parents.

Mrs. Raymond Bock of Joplin, visited her mother, Mrs. A. G. Krumm.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Perry of Boonville, visited relatives here, Sunday.

Bob Painter spent Thursday and Friday in Kansas City on business.

Ruben Eichelberger, who is employed in Kansas City, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Eichelberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biggerstaff and sons, Tommy and Jimmy, of Boonville, were Wednesday evening guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kella of Blackwater, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schlotzhauer and Miss Betty Marie Schlotzhauer.

Mrs. L. F. Cole of Otterville, and Mrs. Horst Cole of Mt. Nebo, visited with their brother, Henry Palmer, and Mrs. Palmer, Friday.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF E. W. THOMPSON MOTOR COMPANY

The annual meeting of the stockholders of E. W. Thompson Motor Company will be held at the office of the said company at 400 South Osage Street, Sedalia, Missouri, at 10:00 A. M. on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1949, for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

JOHN SUTHERLIN,
Secretary.

3-25, 4-1.

No. 9907
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Burns, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of January, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 17th day of January, 1949.

D. S. LAMM,
Executor.

Attested by me this 17th day of January, 1949.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

3-25, 4-1, 4-8, 4-15.

No. 9930
Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Anna R. Grant, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of March, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 1st day of March, 1949.

D. S. LAMM,
Executor.

Attested by me this 1st day of March, 1949.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9940
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Margaret Martin, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 1st day of March, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 1st day of March, 1949.

WILLIAM MARTIN,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 1st day of March, 1949.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Henry C. Salveter.

3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9932
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Henry Riley, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 21st day of February, 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 21st day of February, 1949.

KURMAN W. RILEY,
Administrator.

Attested by me this 21st day of February, 1949.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

No. 9933
Administratrix's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of John M. Stewart, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of February 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administratrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 18th day of February, 1949.

NORA MAY GIBBINS,
Administratrix.

Attested by me this 18th day of February, 1949.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

Number 9938
Notice of Administrator With Will Annexed

Notice is hereby given, That Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, on the Estate of Fred E. Rush, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of February 1949, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 28th day of February 1949.

D. S. LAMM,
Administrator With Will Annexed.

Attested by me this 28th day of February 1949.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

IN THE PROBATE COURT

Be it remembered, that on Friday, March 11th, 1949, the same being the eighteenth day of the regular February Term, thereof, of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court, and entered of record, to-wit:

STATE OF MISSOURI } (SS.
COUNTY OF PETTIS }

Order of Publication
Number 9932

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Riley, deceased.

Kurman W. Riley, Administrator.

Kurman W. Riley, Administrator of the estate of Henry Riley, deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

The North West Quarter (¼) of the North East Quarter (¼) of Section Thirty Three (33) Township Forty Five (45) Range Twenty (20) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, being in the County of Pettis and the State of Missouri

as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such case.

On Examination Whereof, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that appublican as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, April 19th, 1949, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis County, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.

(Seal) J. E. SMITH,
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.

Attorney: Sam P. Harlan.
3-18, 3-25, 4-1, 4-8

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION

By virtue and authority of order of sale in partition, issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Pettis County, Missouri, dated the 10th day of February, 1949 and the 9th day of March, 1949, and to me directed in favor of Charles L. Hanley, Allie A. Wherley and Henry C. Salveter as Trustees of the Trust Estate of Green McFarland deceased and Josephine Fichter and Pete McFarland as plaintiffs, and against Clay McFarland, Rosell McFarland Anderson, Ruth Fichte, Ralph McFarland, Floyd McFarland, Donald McFarland, and the possible unborn children of Josephine Fichter, defendants and it appearing to the court that the plaintiffs are entitled to the relief prayed for in their petition, ordered that the property described in plaintiff's petition be sold by the sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri as provided by law in such cases. Now therefore, in order to comply with the terms of said order of sale, I, the undersigned sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri, shall proceed to sell the said real estate, as ordered sold, and situated in Pettis County, Missouri, to-wit:

20 acres, being the South Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 32, Township 47, Range 20

80 acres, being all of Lot 1 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46 Range 20

The South 28.67 acres of the East Half of Lot 2 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5 Township 46, Range 20

57.24 acres, being the West Half of Lot 2 of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46 Range 20

30 acres, being all that part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 5, Township 46 Range 20 lying North of Muddy Creek

1½ acres, being all that part of the West Half of Lot 1 of the Northeast Quarter of Section 5, Township 46, Range 20, lying North of Muddy Creek

All of the above described lands being and situate in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri,

and I will on Saturday the 2nd day of April, 1949, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri, and while the circuit court is in session sell the above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand in order to comply with the said order of sale.

Dated this 9th day of March 1949.

JOHN F. TAYLOR,
Sheriff of Pettis County Missouri.

John T. Martin, Attorney.
3-11, 3-18, 3-25, 4-1.